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Established in 1869.} "Let us see to it that a Government, of the People, for the People, and by the People, shall not perish from the Earth."---A. LINCOLN.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

NINETY thousand miners in Germany are striking for higher wages.

JUDGE KREBS, of Clearfield, sentenced the two prize fighters, who fought a battle in that county some time ago, to pay a fine of $250 and costs.

IT is said that Postmaster General Wanamaker does not believe that the time for one-cent postage is due. His motto is "Don't reduce the rate, but improve the service."

THE new ship Charleston does not show 7,000 horse power and an effort is now being made to bring it up to that power. It need not be accepted unless it shows at least 6,000 horse power and for each one horse power it lacks of 7,000 the owners will lose $100 in payment.

SECRETARY TRACY has given the contract for the construction of the monster armored coast-defense vessel provided for at the last session of Congress, to the Union iron works of San Francisco. The price is to be $1,628,000. Five years ago no one would have believed it possible to build such a vessel on the Pacific coast, owing to lack of facilities. But this concern now has one of the finest plants for iron ship-building in America.

THE Legislature brought its session to a close without the usual scenes of disorder and tomfoolery that prevail on such occasions. The members can go back to their homes feeling comfortable in the reflection that they have given their constituents more satisfaction than they have done in past years. They parted in good temper and the compliments which they paid to their officers, particularly to the Speaker, were more deserved than such compliments ordinarily are.

THE honor of being the first colored appointee of the President has fallen to Rev. Jas. M Townsend of Richmond, Indiana, who has been appointed Recorder of the General Land Office. Mr. Townsend was a member of the fifty-fourth Massachusetts regiment during the rebellion. Since the war he has been a member of the Indiana legislature, and is at present the Missionary Secretary of the A. M. E. Church. He has been a warm personal friend of the President for many years.

BARTON D. EVANS, of the West Chester Village Record has been appointed by by Governor, Superintendent of Public Printing, vice W. Hayes Grier, whose time has expired. The appointment is an excellent one and cannot fail to meet with public approval. Mr. Evans is a well known journalist of high standing in the profession and a man of fine education, being a graduate of Yale. His experience in newspaper work and printing fully qualifying for the position and that he will be a success in the field no one who knows him doubts for a moment. We extend our congratulations to Brother Evans.

IN the British House of Lords the bill to allow the marriage of a man with his deceased wife's sister was defeated once more by a vote of 147 to 120. The Prince of Wales who always attends and votes on the bill, voted again with the minority. The agitation of this question began in 1842, and it has been voted on in ten successive Parliaments, passing the Commons seven times. The most strenuous opposition has always been in the House of Peers. But there the majority against it was only 27 in a total vote of 267. Some of these days when the Liberals again possess the Government, the bill will be adopted. The Conservatives generally oppose it, though the Princes of the Blood always vote in favor of it.

AN exchange very truly says that "It must not be understood that the Poll TAX Amendment," upon which the people will vote on the 18th of June in conjunctiod with the prohibitory amendment, and which is not likely to receive the thorough consideration from the people to which it is entitled, proposes to abolish any tax whatever that is now assessed. But the laws, as they exist to-day, make the payment of State and county tax an essential qualification to voting. That is, they disqualify the voter and take from him the elective franchise because of his poverty. As a result this provision leads to the debauching of the voter and the corrupting of politics by making the poor voter dependent upon politicians and committees.

AN OPEN LETTER.

To The People I Serve and my Neighbors

That an important hour and opportunity is now ours we all agree. The proposed amendment to our State Constitution is something of interest to us all whether we accept the proposed measure as the right or wrong way of dealing with the liquor question.

We have the issue to face.

If prohibition was a police measure or regulation, and not one of the great principles of government, it would surely be a wrong step to put it in the State Constitution; but being recognized by all leading jurists and writers on jurisprudence as one of the great principles of government, its rightful place is the fundamental law of the State, hat it may not be at the mercy of changing and changeful majorities.

We find many good men opposed to the Amendment, and also opposed to the liquor business and the saloon, and heartily in favor of "knocking out" the saloon; but believing the Amendment an unconstitutional and extreme measure not in harmony with our institutions and liberties feel compelled to vote, if at all, against it. But remember, my dear sir, every vote cast against the Amendment will be counted on count day for saloon, and yet you do not want to stand on that side. In your opposition to the Amendment you stand in line with the liquor dealers and the many liquor dealers and brewers' associations. No Christian man can afford to stand up and be counted with those whose business is only evil, it is certainly a "give away" of his Christian character and manhood. Admitting the Amendment to be an evil, the liquor business is still a greater evil, and as we are now called to choose between the two, not to compromise our Christian profession and prevent being counted on the side of the saloon, we most vote for the lesser evil—the Amendment.

And more, as to its being unconstitutional, the supreme court of the United States has decided that *it is not unconstitutional*, and therefore is not an invasion of the personal rights of any one. Dear to every citizen and sacred are the rights growing out of his citizenship, but the right to carry on a a business that ruins manhood and debauches the people does not inhere in the citizenship of this Commonwealth and this country.

Natural and civil rights differ. Blackstone defines natural liberty as the power to act as the individual may please, act without restraint or control. Civil liberty, he continues, is natural liberty restricted to the extent that public good may require. Natural liberty allows me to go into the street and throw stones, but civil liberty forbids and prohibits my throwing stones at persons passing or standing on the street; I dare not even throw stones at my neighbor's windows. Where the good of society and and the rights of persons and property begin there personal liberty ends. There is then a limit to personal liberty and that limit is the public. The law prohibiting nuisances, prohibiting people throwing refuse matter on the streets, restricting the natural and personal liberty of the individual to and for the public good, or declaring the supremacy of civil liberty over personal liberty where the good of society is involved, is right. Anything hurtful to the public good, injurious to society, the State has the right, and so the courts have declared, to interfere, and if necessary destroy that hurtful thing. The liquor business is productive of vast evil, a constant menace to the well-being and good of society, a threatener, aye more, an injurer of public interest and public welfare, and as such the State has full authority to put it down by constitutional enactment.

Social life and organized society stand on one strong, broad plank, and on this one plank stands all social existence, it is that natural and personal liberty shall be restricted and limited by the public good and public interest. Destroy this plank and all social existence falls. The destruction of this fundamental principle, this bottom plank, is what is meant by giving to personal liberty the supremacy, the rule. This is the liberty the robber, the thug, the blood-tub and anarchist want. And you, my honest friend, though a good temperance man, a lover of your country, your home and your God, having imbibed confused notions about constitutional rights and infringement, personal and civil liberty, you, opposed in all your interests to the saloon and the evil working liquor business, will vote against the Amendment, unwilling, even, to give suffering society, bleeding hearts, miserable homes, hungry and half-clad orphans, made so by this business, the benefit of the doubt that bothers your mind on this question. In voting for the Amendment you infringe on the civil rights of no man, woman or child; you do not put yourself out of harmony with any right inhering in citizenship; or, in opposition to privileges or rights guaranteed to any citizen by the constitution of our State or the United States; you simply declare that the public good and welfare is, and shall be, the first consideration. Hence, we plead with you, in the light of these plain considerations, VOTE FOR THE AMENDMENT. We do not doubt your honesty, nor impugn your motives, but dear sir, and friend, your ideas are confused and mistaken concerning rights and liberty involved in the question, hence our appeal to you at this time and in this manner.

May God bless you.

VOTE FOR THE AMENDMENT ON THE 18TH OF JUNE, and you will thus help the weak, the enslaved, the fallen, the sad and heart-broken, and sacrifice no rights of citizenship, but do the right thing.

Fraternally Yours,
"BRO." HICKS,
PASTOR M. E. CHURCH.

Millheim, Centre County, Pa., May 1st, 1889.

SENATOR QUAY ON PROHIBITION.

The report that Senator Quay had made up his mind to vote for the Prohibition amendment has been confirmed by the Senator himself. He regards the question as one of morals and not of politics, which should be acted upon by every voter individually according to his own judgment and convictions without regard to his party connections. His attitude in this respect is substantially the same as that of Senator Blair, in New Hampshire, and Senator Hoar, in Massachusetts, who while voting for Prohibition, did not go outside the party lines. The Republicans in Pennsylvania are at liberty, as were the Republicans in those States, to do as they please.

This announcement from Senator Quay will or should put an end to the silly stories that he is bargaining with the opponents of the amendment for its defeat. If it does not, then the declaration of Mr. Palmer, the Chairman of the Prohibition National Committee, should certainly have that effect. Chairman Palmer not only brands those stories as "outrageous" but he says that, in his judgment, the Republican leaders are dealing with the question fairly and justly. Chairman Palmer takes so sensible a view of the situation that his remarks are worth reading:

"I have never had any reason to suppose that anything but the highest good faith would be observed by Republican leaders toward the submission of the amendments. Many of them are like Senator Quay openly for it, and there is no reason why those who are conscientious in the matter should not be against it. We have a great many prominent Democrats openly for the amendment, and all we ask is that the people whose fight it is shall be allowed to settle the matter without interference. It is non-sectarian and non-partisan, and if we have no one to whip but the liquor dealers we ask no help."

This ought to set at rest all the rumors and charges that the Republican leaders contemplate any acts of perfidy. Such perfidy would, indeed, be bad politics, if no consideration of honor entered into the question, and Chairman Palmer put his heaviest foot down upon the charges in a way that does credit to his good judgment as well as his sense of fairness. He will not weaken his cause by this straightforward and manly declaration.

AT every indication of a depression in business the Democratic press raises a dismal wail that the Republican party is not and cannot fulfil the promises which it held out to voters before the last election. In their extravagant haste to condemn the party in power, they are illogical enough to demand that it shall in two months repair all the damage done in four years by the party which threatened the foundations of all our industries: The dread and uncertainty of the manufacturing interests during an entire administration must necessarily leave effects which cannot be removed in a few months. When the Republican party has been in power four year affairs will be in much better condition than they are now and don't fail to remember it.—*Pottsville Republican.*

FRANCE'S MISFORTUNE.

Republican France is not quite stiff enough in the region of the spine to pass over in silence the implied contempt of the European monarchies in declining to send representatives to the inauguration of the Centennial Exposition at Paris on Monday last. The cable brings news of a rather regretable state of feeling in France. She does not appreciate being snubbed by her European neighbors, and she professes at least to be surprised at the lack of warmth in the attitude of England especially.

Of course, France can hardly expect congratulations at this season from the descendants of those royal personages, whose thrones the events of 1789 so seriously threatened. But she would have obtained more respectful, if not more cordial, treatment if Frenchmen had more closely adhered to the republican idea since Liberty had its bloody birth in France in 1789. France, it is true, for twenty years almost, has maintained the Republic which rose from the ruins of Napoleon III.'s empire. The majority of Frenchmen has been during those twenty years true to the Republic. Probably a majority is true still. But an aggressive minority, now verging upon a majority, of Frenchmen has not ceased any time since the death of Gambetta to plot against the Republican Government. The General Boulanger episode is not yet ended. More than once this year the movement of the Boulangers has imminently threatened the very existence of the Republic.

Monarchical Europe is fully cognizant of the lack of unanimous loyalty among the French to their Republic. This knowledge does not conspire to produce respect for France among her friends or enemies. If all France were loyal to the Republic, she might not be more beloved, but she certainly would be more respected. Snubs would be fewer then.

The Temperance Enterprise.

An enterprise that has fed the hungry, and clothed the naked, and healed the sick, and taught the ignorant, and elevated the degraded, and gladdened the sorrowful, and led to the Cross multitudes that had been wandering far away; an enterprise that has gathered again the fortune that had been scattered, and built again the home that had been ruined, and raised again the character that had been blasted, and bound up the heart that had been broken; an enterprise that has given peace where there was discord, and gladness where there had been woe, that has broken open many a prison door, and restored to his right mind many a maniac: an enterprise that has prevented many a suicide, and that has robbed the gallows of many a victim that would otherwise have been there; an enterprise that has thinned the workhouse and the hospital, and the jail, and that has helped to fill the school, and the lecture room, and the industrial exhibition; an enterprise that has turned into useful citizens those that were pests of society, one of the best educators of the masses, one of the chief pioneers of the Gospel, an enterprise which is not Christ, but which is one of the holy angels that go upon his mission. Like some spirit from another world, our great enterprise has trodden the wildness, and flowers of beauty have sprung up upon her track. She has looked around, gladdening all on whom her smiles have fallen; she has touched the captive, and his fetters have fallen off, she has spoken, and the countenance of despair has been lighted up with hope; she has waved her magic wand, and the wilderness rejoiced and blossomed as the rose. Like the fabled Orpheus, she has warbled her song of mercy, and wild beasts, losing their ferocity, have followed gladly and gratefully in her train. She has raised up those that have been worse than dead, sepulchered in sin, and she has led multitudes to the living water of salvation.

THE Christian world is familiar with the life-work of Father Damien, the Leper Priest, and the news of his death at his chosen post of duty closes a career of the most complete, deliberate and therefore the most heroic self-sacrifice which the human mind can conceive. In 1864, when but twenty-four years of age, enjoying all of the bright promise of youth, health, intellectual ability and culture, this priest renounced professional ambition and personal comfort to join the leper colony at Malakai. The Bishop called for a volunteer, and after one week's thoughtful deliberation Father Damien made his irrevocable choice to carry the gospel to the abandoned colony and to share with them hardship, loathsome disease and death. Such a sublime example of Christian heroism, consistent, helpful and cheerful through a quarter of a century's gradual and irresistable approach to a leper's grave, impresses the lessons of that universal charity which knows no credal bounds, and it will place the name of Father Damien high in the list of the world's martyrs.

GROCERS FOR THE AMENDMENT.

The Retail Grocers' association of Pennsylvania held its fifth annual state convention in Pittsburg recently. In the course of discussion the economic bearing of prohibition was prominently brought forward. The following extracts were made from a newspaper report of the proceedings:

S. B. Charters, of Pittsburg, talked briefly on the limitations of credit and the treatment of delinquents. He thought sentiment should not be allowed to interfere with business. As a matter of business he said every grocer should be a Prohibitionist, for if prohibition became a law in Pennsylvania the grocers would find their bills paid more promptly.

H. L. Brucker, of the Hollidaysburg association, threw a bomb into the meeting by asserting that the saloon was mainly responsible for the bulk of the bad debts. He wanted to see the state association come out flat-footed for the Prohibition amendment, for if the $80,000,000 that is now spent for liquor in Pennsylvania every year was thrown into other channels, the state would see an era of prosperity such as had never been dreamed of before. He was loudly applauded and appeared to have most of the delegates on his side.

The proposition is one that can not be disputed that, under Prohibition, eighty million dollars now spent for Rum yearly in Pennsylvania must necessarily be paid out for other things. The grocer would get a very good share of the money; so would the dry goods men, the clothing men, the furniture and house-furnishing men, and in fact the dealers in every article of comfort, necessity or luxury. There would be less poverty, and more comfort among the masses. There is not a business man but should be the ardent supporter of Prohibition because of its beneficial effects upon trade, if for no higher motive.

Recent Appointments.

The following appointments have been made by the President since his return from New York:

United States Attorneys, S. N. Hawkins of Tenn. for the Western and Jno. Rahm, of Tenn. for the middle district of Tennessee; D. S. Alexander of N. Y. for the Northern district of New York, Mr. Alexander was Fifth Auditor of the Treasury when the Cleveland administration came in. After his resignation he went to Buffalo N. Y., and opened a law office. When Gen. Harrison was nominated he requested Mr. Alexander to come to Indianapolis and take charge of his correspondence. After the election Mr. Alexander returned to his law practice in Buffalo; T. R. Borland of Va. for the Eastern district of Virginia; A. J. Evans of Texas, for the Western district of Texas; W. H. H. Clayton of Arkansas for the Western district of Arkansas.

Sat Up All Night.

The Williamsport *S and B.* states significantly, that on Thursday night a bridal party came from Snow Shoe Summit, on the Beech Creek railroad. The party consisted of the bride and groom and two sisters of the former. The entire party boarded the 10 o'clock train on the Philadelphia & Reading and it was learned that they intended to sit up in the coach until they reached Philadelphia, and the bride's sisters seemed to enjoy the prospect of such a trip. The groom didn't say a word.—*Lock Haven Daily Democrat.*

—On Sunday evening Rev. W. O. Wright, of the Presbyterian church, Milesburg, delivered one of the ablest and strongest sermons in favor of Prohibition which has been heard in this vicinity for a long time. The large congregation who listened to him were much impressed and delighted. It would be a most excellent idea to have the reverend gentleman, if possible, deliver the sermon in this place soon.

—Flowers are blooming early this year. There are the lilacs which are now in full blossom and will have entirely disappeared before Decoration Day. The favorite wild honeysuckle seems also to be in its full glory now and it does not last long. But perhaps the early roses will be correspondingly earlier than usual and instead of waiting for June will show forth their beauty in time for the 30th of May.

A good many men who are talking very bitterly about the difficulty of getting into a church have never tried it.

GENERAL NOTES.

Chicago last week annexed three suburban towns having a total population of nearly 70,000.

An Italian boy having four ears was found asleep on a Philadelphia doorstep a few evenings ago.

A mule, 45 years old, does a little service for a Georgia physician, who has had him since 1849.

A Chinese theatrical troupe has been organized at Portland, Ore., to make a tour of the United States.

A Chicago paper referred to a State Senator as Mr. thos. h jones, and he sued for $75,000 damages.

An egg the shell of which shows all the colors of the rainbow is the product of an Ellsworth, Me., hen.

A young man named Leatherers, of Pittsford, Mich., died from the effects of drinking maple sap to excess.

All the men in Hermansville, Mich., are wearing whiskers now. The only barber in the town went to Oklahoma.

The people of Adams county, Ohio, think they have discovered valuable gold ore in the hills of Jefferson township.

A man in Augusta, Me., in paying a bill, deducted 2 cents for the stamp on the letter in which he sent his remittance.

Ex-Sheriff T C Kennedy, of Mound city, Ill., 80 years of age, has just married a woman nearly fifty years younger than himself.

The authorities in Holland have decreed that women cannot serve on a school board. In Sweeden it is decided that they can.

In the gravel on a farm near Van Buren, O., recently, an Indian skeleton was unearthed, with a jar and some wampum shells.

Brazil sends us 69 per cent of the total amount of coffee imported, and the cost per pound is six-tenths of a cent cheaper than any other.

An Ohio church deacon exclaimed, 'Consarn it all to Texas!' and the verdict of the church investigation was 'Not guilty, but in bad taste.'

One of the clauses of an Augusta, Me., woman's will read: "I want to be buried at East Readfield, beside my father and mother, and a headstone."

Minnesota has passed a law providing for execution before sunrise, and allowing the condemned to invite three persons to witness his taking off.

A new strike of rich ore is reported from the Tin Cup mine, in Colorado. A 30 pound piece taken out it was estimated would run 10,000 ounces silver.

A wild turkey was killed in Madison county, Florida, recently which weighed 65 pounds. One of its drumsticks lasted the family for two or three days.

It always bothers a Frenchman who is learning English to read one day that a murder has been committed, and the next day that the murderer has been committed.

Two Oil City policemen and divers other persons shot a stray dog the other evening, and the next morning the dog was able to eat a pound and a half of beefsteak.

There are five banks and six newspapers and an average daily sale of $50 worth of postage stamps in Guthrie, Oklahoma, a town which did not exist prior to April 22.

A Toccoa, Ga., paper announces the arrival of William Bowers, whose name will go down in history as one of the only two Georgians who voted for Abraham Lincoln in 1860.

A Georgia paper records the death of Moses Austin, colored, of Butts county, age 110 years. The most wonderful part of the item, however, is that he never saw George Washington.

Sumter county, Georgia, had the most destructive hail storm it had ever seen last week. The hail was said to be the size of hen's eggs, and the fruit trees, corn and cotton were utterly destroyed.

A curious fact in natural history comes from Fairlie, Scotland. A hen, after hatching several chickens, died; therefore a cat took charge of the brood, and has since remained their jealous guardian.

Boston evidently thinks that to spare the rod spoils culture. During the school year of 1888 there were 18,664 floggings administered in the public schools of that city, which have an enrollment of 29,560 boys.

In the quaint old Anglican Church of Capel-le-Ferne, near Dover, there is no provision made for lighting it at night, and at the evening service, those who attend are in the habit of bringing candles and lamps along with them.

A disease commonly known as yellows is attacking fruit trees in Oglethrope county, Ga., and in some orchards is playing havoc. The leaves of the trees begin by wilting, turning a bright yellow, and in a few weeks or so the tree is dead.

Twenty-six head of fine steers in a herd fattened at Abilene, Kan., have been killed because they had hydrophobia. A mad dog bit one of a herd of 200 a few weeks ago. Rabies spread rapidly. It became necessary to shoot the maddened animals.

A heart-broken mother was not allowed to see the face of her dead child in Easton last week because she had been seperated from her husband. An officer was summened, but the brutal husband placed the lid on the coffin and could not be induced to remove it.

Our Story Teller'

MARION'S WEAK SIDE.

"Oh wad some power the giftie gie us
To see oursels as ithers see us."

repeated Marion Upto: in soft tones, as she shook her pretty head in mock mournfulness.

It was the noon recess in the Hinsdale High school, and the large hall was filled with a babel of sounds. Merry girls strolled arm in arm through the hall and loitered in the corners or by the windows of the spacious apartment. A group had gathered with Marion in the alcove library, and were discussing in animated tones the shortcomings of a classmate.

'What a revelation that would be!' laughed Belle Smith. 'I wonder if it would be at all improving to a person who shall be nameless.'

'She is without exception, the most disagreeable ill-tempered person I ever knew,' declared Ruth Holmes. 'They say the whole family is high-tempered and quarrelsome. It reminds me of the Spanish proverb, 'Live with wolves and you will learn to howl;' for if Kate doesn't actually 'howl' she has the real wolf snap.'

'Well she's snapped at me just once too often,' said Belle; 'I intend in the future to let her severely alone. Perhaps by the time she is utterly friendless she'll come to her senses.'

'Poor girl! I can't help being a little sorry for her,' said Marion. 'You know she's an orphan, and I suspect she has a hard time in her uncle's family.'

'It's no excuse,' said Ruth, for allowing her ill-temper to run away with her. Her ugliness amounts to a vice.'

'Yes, I know,' said Marion, sadly; 'but then we haven't been very patient with her. It's Keats, is it not, who says 'There lives not the man who may not be cut up, ay, lashed to pieces, on his weakest side.' We have each a 'weak side,' although I'll allow we are all sweeter-tempered and better-mannered than poor Kate.'

'I should hope so, indeed,' cried Belle, scornfully; 'and pardon me if I inquire where your weakest side is?'

'I don't know,' said Marion, doubtfully; 'but I'll ask mother.'

Marion's word had given an unexpected turn to the conversation, and the girls who were her ardent admirers separated, each with a secret misgiving as to what 'mother' would say in her own individual case.

Marion Upton was a singularly sweet and high-minded girl, a church-member, too, in "good and regular standing." She had made some progress in the spiritual life; and calm and even-poised by nature, her girl friends were wont to consider her almost faultless. It takes a wise mother to detect the weak spot in a child's armor.

'Mother,' said Marion that evening, 'which is my weakest side, or, as the Bible puts it, what is the sin which doth so easily beset me?'

Mrs. Upton looked into her daughter's honest, inquiring eyes, and answered simply in one word, 'Selfishness."

Marion's face flushed; and with an expression of utter incredulity she exclaimed:

'You can't be serious, mother! Why, that's the one thing that I hate above all others, and I've been told so many times that I was kind and generous that I have really begun to believe it.' And Marion laughed in spite of a suspicious tremble in her voice.

'My dear child,' said the mother, tenderly,' a person may be kind and generous, and yet be selfish. Does that seem paradoxical?'

'Yes, mother, it does,' said Marion.

'Shall I speak plainly, and prove the truth of my words?' asked Mrs. Upton, gently.

'Do, mother,' Marion replied; 'it's high time I made the acquaintance of my 'weakest side.'

'You enjoy doing a kind act,' said Mrs. Upton. 'You respond gladly for help, and give cheerfully a cup of cold water, so long as you can do so without any great physical inconvenience. But, if there was only one cup of cold water, and you were very thirsty, I fear you would drink the water yourself in preference to bestowing it upon anyone else.'

'Ah, me, mother,' cried Marion, 'what a poor opinion you have of me! Now bring forward your proofs. What has led you to think so badly of me?'

'I notice that evening after evening you appropriate the most comfortable chair in the room, as if it were yours by right; that you arrange yourself at the most comfortable possible angle to receive the light, with little thought for the convenience of the other members of our circle. I notice that your own tastes and whims are always gratified, and that you rarely, of your own accord, deny yourself for the sake of ministering to the comfort of another. Straws show which way the wind blows, and straws like these indicate to me the high value which you place upon your own personal comfort.'

'You are right, mother,' said Marion, tearfully. 'It is a good thing for me to see myself as my mother sees me. I never thought of these things before.'

'Many of our faults come from want of thought,' said Mrs. Upton. 'We have all weak points and strong points of character; and I believe that we should study ourselves and bring to bear God's forces and our own forces at the point where we are most defenceless. Thus we should build ourselves up to the ideals to which we aspire, and having on the whole armor of God we should be ready to do efficient service.'

'Girls said Marion, at the noon recess next day, I have been investigating a new and interesting topic, and have received some valuable information.'

Don't keep us in suspense. Out with it!' cried Ruth.

'I find that I have a very weak side.'

'Humph! try a plaster,' retorted Ruth.

'No levity, if you please, Miss Holmes, for I am indeed in earnest. I think we are apt to study the faults of others, while we are blind to our own deficiencies. This is my case, and there has been so much gossip of late about one of our number that I feel moved to recommend a study of self as a new class measure."

'By way of antidote, I suppose,' said Belle.

'Exactly,' said Marion.

Marion possessed the essential qualities of a leader; and her brave, outspoken words had full weight. 'Perhaps we have been a little hard on Kate,' thought the girls; 'perhaps we have each a side as weak as hers, although its weakness may be less apparent to others.' Kate's short-comings ceased to be the topic of conversation, and the girls began to treat her with a more kindly and forbearing spirit. There was a gradual change in Kate. The girls were surprised to find her a pleasant companion.

'Kate is really coming round,' said Belle one day.

'Was she ever square?' asked Ruth.

'Nonsense,' said Belle. 'You know what I mean.'

'It's all owing to the new class measure,' declared Ruth. 'It has worked inwark and outward, and bids fair to subjugate the unruly member.'

'In more senses than one,' said Marion; 'for I think we have been more guarded in the use of our tongues since I suggested the propriety of each one studying herself. A view of our own faults has made us more patient with Kate, and kindness and forbearance have brought to light some unsuspected virtues in our friend.'

'Moral,' said Ruth; 'Instead of holding a council of war and hauling somebody over the coals, meditate upon your own badness, and try 'somebody' with a double dose of sweetness. I suppose Kate thought we were all down upon her, and she would have regarded us her natural enemies till the day of her death if it hadn't been for you, Marion, and your weak side.'—*The Advance.*

A Cure for Insomnia.

The suggestion recently made in this column in regard to methods of inducing or promoting sleepiness has been put to a practical test by one constant reader of the *Tribune* with most gratifying results. The suggestion was that sleep could be wooed successfully by a method of counting in this fashion: 1, 2; 1, 2, 3; 1, 2, 3, 4; 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; etc., up to 25. The experimenter relates his experience in the following language: 'My plan is not to count rapidly, but to call off mentally one figure with every expiration of breath. A person in good health counts at that rate about 20 a minute. Before reaching 25 in this scale he must count for about 16 minutes as the series mounts up to 325 counted straight ahead. But I have found one decided advantage over counting in regular order. That can be done mechanically, without any mental activity whatever. The other method is not burdensome to the mind, but furnishes just enough material to keep the thoughts off other subjects. I often find myself forgetting the number at which I ought to stop and return to 1, whereupon I at once begin where I left off and proceed in order. I cannot say this scheme will produce sleep when there is no inclination or impulse in that direction, but when there is even a rudimentary impulse I know it will encourage and increase it. I have tried it a good many times since I first read about it in the *Tribune*, and it has only failed me twice. Often on waking I will remember that I was not able to count beyond 7 or 8 before losing myself in slumber. I have never yet counted up as far as 20. I believe that the author of this suggestion has conferred a boon on people who are troubled with insomnia, although it cannot be expected to work in every case."—*New York Tribune.*

Spring Styles

Umpires will wear hand-painted black eyes.

Divorce suits will be worn decollete, as usual.

Heavy overcoats will not be worn after June 1.

Appointments this season are cut a la Republican.

Fashionable dogs will wear muzzlin' in July and August.

Trousers are worn still, except the very loud patterns.

The largest diamands will be found on the base ball grounds.

HOW TO MAKE YOURSELF AGREEABLE.

Very rarely, if ever, young persons acquire the ability to converse with ease and fluency. This implies, first of all, good ideas, clearly and sensibly expressed. An empty mind never made a good talker; remember, "you can not draw water out of an empty well" of good breeding. A good voice is as essential to self-possession as good ideas are essential to fluent language. The voice, from infancy, should be carefully trained and developed; a full, clear, flexible voice is one of the surest indications of good breeding; it falls like music on the ear, and while it pleases the listener, t adds to the confidence of its possessor, be he never so timid. One may be witty without being popular; valuble, without being agreeable; a neat talker, and yet a great bore. It is wise, then, to note carefully the following suggestions:

Be sincere; he who habitually sneers at everything will not only render himself disagreeable to others, but will soon cease to find pleasure in life.

Be frank; a frank, open countenance and cheery laugh are worth far more, even socially, than "pedantry in a stiff cravat."

Be amiable; you may hide a vindictive nature under a polite exterior for a time, as a cat make its sharp claws in velvet fur, but the least provocation brings out one as quickly as the other; ill-natured persons are always disliked.

Be sensible; society never lacks for fools. If you want elbow room, "go up higher."

Be cheerful; if you have no great trouble on your mind, you have no right to render other people miserable by your long face and dolorous tones. If you do, you will be generally avoided.

But, above all, be cordial; true cordiality unites all the quantities we have enumerated.

The Latest Fashions.

Tight coat sleeves are out of fashion.

Fancy runs riot in the sleeves of the newest teagowns.

Moire ribbon is as much in favor upon lace gowns as it was last summer.

Black is now stylish worn with any color from the palest to the deepest.

Crepe de chine will be largely used for afternoon watering-place gowns.

Lilac and wistaria will be favorite flowers for ornamenting summer lace bonnets.

Fine-cut glass divides the honors with silver in decorating the tables of modern sires.

You can now buy "Pigs in Clover" in gold of a size to dangle from your watch chain.

A silver hen and chickens perched upon a crystal slab is the oddest of the new paper-weights.

An authority declares that "ruffles, puffs, flounces and furbelows are looming up in the near future."

Yoke waists are now as popular for grown folk as they have been for children for the last two years.

A combined cardcase and pocketbook in etched silver is new, handsome and wonderfully convenient.

Enamel violets hanging thick from a slender gold chain make the handsomest of the new flower necklaces.

The combination of blue and black is now so much in favor as to seriously threaten the long supremacy of green.

Many of the new silk wraps have a boa of Chantilly lace down the front and are heavily trimmed with fine cut jet.

Five Ways to Cure a Cold.

1. Bathe the feet in hot water and drink a pint of hot lemonade. Then sponge with salt water and remain in a warm room.

2. Bathe the face in very hot water every five minutes for an hour.

3. Snuff up the nostrils hot salt water every three hours.

5. Inhale ammonia or menthol.

5. Take four hours active exercise in the open air.

The *Medical News*, which recommends the above, says that summer colds are the worst of all colds oftentimes, as it is then very difficult to protect one's self properly. A ten-grain dose of quinine will usually break up a cold in the beginning. Anything that will set the blood actively in circulation will do it, whether it be drugs or the use of a buck-saw.

Powderly on the Amendment.

General Master Workman Powderly in an address urging the Knights of Labor in Pennsylvania to vote for the prohibitory amendment says: "We are forced now to choose between the poverty and distress upon one side brought about by the drunkard and the unprincipled rumseller, and prohibition upon the other. Of the two I prefer prohibition. The farmers need not fear of prohibition. In my opinion it means an increased demand for what they deal in."

Smith (entering parlor finds Misses Josie, Ella and Amy)—Good afternoon, Miss Amy, how well you look to-day; how fresh and rosy your cheeks look.

Ella and Josie—Yes; she stole our candy and we have both of us slapped her.

Mercantile Appraisement For 1889.

		CLASS	$
Anderson, John, Bellefonte, Pool and Billiard		2	40 75
Achenbach, B C, Bellefonte, Confectionery		14	7 75
Adams, Joseph & Co, Milesburg, Merchant		14	7 75
Askey, John, Philipsburg, Billiard		2	40 75
Adelman & Ratowsky, Philipsburg, Clothiers		13	10 75
Adam, T F, Milesburg, Merchant		13	10 75
Brown, Lawrence L, Bellefonte, Coal & Grain		11	15 75
Bair, J C	" Grocer	14	7 75
Brown, C T	" Novelty	13	10 75
Baney, H C	" Grocer	14	7 75
Blair, F P	" Jeweler	14	7 75
Bauer, V J	" Merchan	13	10 75
Bunnel & Aikens	" Music store	14	7 75
Brachbill, John	" Furniture	14	7 75
Bayard, Walter	" Druggist	14	7 75
Boal, Geo O	" Novelty	14	7 75
Brandon, Geo B	" Pool	1	30 75
Bagnarcelli, L P	" Confectioner	14	7 75
Brockerhoff, A & Bro	" Grain & Flour	14	7 75
Bartholomew, R E, Centre Hall, Merchant		12	13 25
Brown, Henry, Hublersburg, Merchant		14	7 75
Boggs, A L, Milesburg, Merchant		14	7 75
Beck, Henry, Madisonburg, Merchant		14	7 75
Black & Weber, Philipsburg, Furniture		14	7 75
Barber, J F & Co, Philipsburg, Hardware		12	13 25
Brinton, Duncan & Barnes, Philipsburg, Merchants		8	80 75
Burchfield, W E, Philipsburg, Novelty		14	7 75
Biddle, W M, Philipsburg, Grocer		14	7 75
Boak, George, Pine Glenn, Merchant		14	7 75
Boak, C, Snow Shoe, Merchant		13	10 75
Budinger, T B, Snow Shoe, Merchant		13	10 75
Cruse, A J, Bellefonte, Tobacco and Cigars		14	7 75
Ceader, Joseph, Bellefonte, Confectioner		14	7 75
Camp & Naginey, Bellefonte, Furniture		14	7 75
Cole, Jacob H, Bellefonte, Grocer		14	7 75
Cunningham, F D Agt, Bellefonte, Pool		1	30 75
Campbell, A J Agt, Coburn, Grain & Coal		14	7 75
Chaney & Thompson, Port Matilda, Merchants		14	7 75
Campbell, Charles, Philipsburg, Pool & Billiard		3	60 75
Crissman, S S, Philipsburg, Druggist		13	10 75
Conway, Charles, Philipsburg, Clothier		11	15 75
Coener, H, Philipsburg, Notions		14	7 75
Curtin & Co, Roland, Merchants		12	13 25
Cook, C E & Co, Bellefonte, Coal dealers		14	7 75
Delong, L J, Blanchard, Merchant		14	7 75
Dale & Co, Centre Hall, Merchant		14	7 75
Durham Bros & Co, Coburn, Merchant		13	10 75
Decker, M J, Coburn, Grain and Coal		13	10 75
Dale & Womer, Philipsburg, Clothier		13	10 75
Davis, E A & Son, Philipsburg, Jewelers		14	7 75
Dorman, S. Zion, Merchant		14	7 75
Dunkle & Fortney, Bellefonte, Grocery		14	7 75
Erhard & Shuey, Bellefonte, Grocers		13	10 75
Eureka Grocery Co	do do	12	13 25
Everett, C A, Lemont, Druggist		14	7 75
Ewing, A J, Penna Furnace, Merchant		13	10 75
Erb, Mrs S, Pine Grove, Merchant		14	7 75
Emery, Harry, Philipsburg, Confectionery		14	7 75
Erb, S J, Philipsburg, Grocer		14	7 75
Emerick, J S, Wolfs Store, Merchant		14	7 75
Eisenhuth, Jacob, Millheim, Druggist		14	7 75
Ewing, J S, Snow Shoe, Druggist		14	7 75
Else C H, Milesburg, Druggist		14	7 75
Frank, V, Bellefonte, Novelty		14	7 75
Fauble, M	do Clothier	14	7 75
Foster, W L, College, Merchant		13	10 75
Freeman, R B, Philipsburg, Jeweler		14	7 75
Fleck, H M	do Grocer	14	7 75
Feistel, A R & Co	do Jeweler	14	7 75
Files & Plank	do Grocers	14	7 75
Flanagan, J H	do Boots and Shoes	14	7 75
Frank, L B, Rebersburg, Merchant		13	10 75
Fisher, J B, Penn Hall	do	13	10 75
Green, F Potts, Bellefonte,	Druggist	13	10 75
Galbraith, F	do Jeweler	14	7 75
Glenn, D M	do Tobacco & Cigars	14	7 75
Garman, D & Son	do Merchants	13	10 75
Gray, J F	do Grocer	14	7 75
Graham, A E, Blanchard,	Grocer & Novelty	14	7 75
Galoon, H, Coburn, Merchant		13	10 75
Griest, T E, Fleming,	do	12	13 25
Griest, A J	do do	12	13 25
Gobeen & Gates, Penn Furnace, Merchant		14	7 75
George, M E, Philipsburg,	Druggist	13	10 75
Gray, Q V	do Merchant	8	80 75
Graham & Hurd,	do Opera House	1	30 75
Grenoble Store Co, Spring Mills, Merchant		13	10 75
Gray, R J P, Stormstown,	do	13	10 75
Griffin, J H	do do	14	7 75
Glascow, J W, Coburn,	Novelty & Grocer	14	7 75
Gilliland & Murray, Snow Shoe, Merchant		14	7 75
Harris Jas. & Co., Bellefonte, Hardware		10	20 75
Harper, Jared	do Grocer	13	10 75
Harper, J A & Co.	do Merchant	12	13 25
Harris, John P, Beaver Mills,	do	14	7 75
Hoover & Emerick, Benore,	do	13	10 75
Hoover Gates & Gilliam, Benore,	do	13	10 75
Harper & Cramer, Centre Hall	do	13	10 75
Hosterman, F O, Feidler	do	13	10 75
Hoover, J W, Fleming	do	13	10 75
Holter, D E, Howard,	Grocer	14	7 75
Hoover, Wm, Hannah,	Merchant	14	7 75
Houser & Lenker, Lemont	do	13	10 75
Hess, J G, Pine Grove	do	14	7 75
Haworth, G W, Philipsburg,	Confectioner	14	7 75
Hirsinger, C G Est	do Clothier	11	15 75
Hale, J M & Co	do Hardware	9	25 75
Hoffer, H O	do Novelty	14	7 75
Harper, A W	do Confectioner	14	7 75
Herrman, George	do Merchant	14	7 75
Hess Wm, Philipsburg	Merchant	14	7 75
Harding, J C, Philipsburg,	Boots and Shoes	14	7 75
Harter & Lose, Rebersburg,	Merchants	13	10 75
Hirsh, F. Betsot	do	14	7 75
Hoy & Yearick, Walker	do	14	7 75
Hockman S F Zion	do	14	7 75
Houser Emanuel Houserville	do	14	7 75
Howell J Irvin Coburn	do	13	10 75
Haynes R J Snow Shoe	do	14	7 75
Holmes M E Milesburg	do	14	7 75
Hugg Enoch	do	14	7 75
Hihler John	do do	14	7 75
Irvin Daniel Julian	do	13	10 75
Jackson R A Powelton	do	13	10 75
Joseph Bros & Co Bellefonte	do	8	80 75
Jones Alfred Philipsburg Hardware		11	15 75
Jenkins & Gilmore	do Queensware Tea and Coffee	14	7 75
Johnston J E	do Grocer	13	10 75
Keplinger W C & Co Bellefonte	Druggist	13	10 75
Keichline P F Bellefonte	Tobacconist	14	7 75
Kerlin A E Centre Hill	Merchant	14	7 75
Kaufman D S Millheim	do	13	10 75
Kessler Leonard Philipsburg	Merchant	8	80 75
Kessinger T L & Co Hublersburg	Merchant	14	7 75
Korman H P Oak Hall	Merchant	14	7 75
Lewin S Bellefonte	Clothier	13	10 75
Lyon & Co	do Merchants	9	25 75
Loeb A	do do	10	20 75
Loeb Simon	do Clothier	14	7 75
Lucas & Bro	Howard Merchants	13	10 75
Long R P	do Grocer	14	7 75
Lehman Joseph	Philipsburg Clothier	13	10 75
Lehman Henry	do Merchant	10	20 75
Long J D	Spring Mills do	13	10 75
Long C P	do do	13	10 75
Long L E	Lemont Lumber	14	7 75
Lucas Wm	Snow Shoe Merchant	14	7 75
Lucas J T	Moshannon do	14	7 75
Musser M M	Aaronsburg Merchant	13	10 75
McCalmont & Co	Bellefonte Agr'l Implement Coal and Grain	12	13 25
McFarlane Robert	do Hardware	10	20 75
McKee H A	do do	10	20 75
Meyer A C & Bro	do Grocers	13	10 75
Minge A C	do Boots and Shoes	13	10 75
Montgomery & Co	do Tailors	13	10 75
Meese John	do Merchant	13	10 75
Meyer W T	do Novelty	14	7 75
McCoy & Linn	do Merchants	14	7 75
McClain & Co	do do	12	13 25
Murray J D	Centre Hall Druggist	14	7 75
Meyer G J & Son	Coburn Confectioners	14	7 75
Moore H J	Howard Druggist	14	7 75
Meyer & Bros	Linden Hall Grain and Coal	14	7 75
Miles W B & Son	Milesburg Merchants	13	10 75
Myers T J	Philipsburg Confectioner	14	7 75
Munson C & Son	do Merchants	12	13 25
McCloskey John	do Pool	1	30 75
Miller W R Est	Sandy Ridge Merchant	12	13 25
Musser Wm	Millheim Pool	1	30 75
Miller W H	Walker Merchant	14	7 75
Musser J A	Millheim Boots and Shoes	14	7 75
Mann J F & Co	Axe Mann Merchants	14	7 75
Mattern H J	Benore do	14	7 75
Meese George	Tusseyville do	14	7 75
Masters W B	Clarence do	13	10 75
Noll W H Jr & Bro	Pleasant Gap Merchant	13	10 75
Nutall John & Co	Philipsburg do	12	13 25
Neff Mrs. & Son	Milesburg Grocery	14	7 75
Neff Charles E	do Merchant	14	7 75
Obrien James O	Bellefonte Pool & Billiards	4	60 75
Owen M & Son	Philipsburg Hard ward Farm Imp	13	10 75
Philips W. H.	Aronsburg Merchant	13	10 75
Powers E. L.	Bellefonte Boots & Shoes	14	7 75
Peck & Son	Nittany Merchants	14	7 75
Pringle S. R.	Port Matilda Merchant	14	7 75
Parker, Geo E,	Philipsburg, Stationery	14	7 75
Parapenzer, Albert,	Philipsburg, Grocer Flour & Feed	14	7 75
Pottsgrove, G G,	Philipsburg, Confectioner	14	7 75
Pealer, Wm,	Spring Mills, Merchant	13	10 75
Poorman E.	Milesburg, Merchant	14	7 75
Quigley, J A,	Blanchard, Merchant	13	10 75
Rowe, W & Bro,	Bellefonte, Furniture	13	10 75
Richards, F C,	Bellefonte, Jeweler	14	7 75
Rountree, John T,	Bellefonte, Grocer	14	7 75
Riley, T F,	Boalsburg, Merchant	14	7 75
Rider, M,	Gatesburg, Merchant	14	7 75
Ross J Irvin,	Lemont, Merchant	13	10 75
Rase, J H,	Linden Hall, Merchant	13	10 75
Reese, A W,	Port Matilda, Merchant	14	7 75
Ryman, E. A.	Philipsburg, Grocer	14	7 75
Russ, John,	Philipsburg, Confectioner	14	7 75
Rhodes, W S,	Philipsburg, Druggist	14	7 75
Riddle, Walter & Bro.	Philipsburg, Merchants	14	7 75
Lobo, Wm, Romola,	Merchant	14	7 75
Robison, Abe,	Snowshoe, Merchant	14	7 75
Rhodes, Daniel,	Loverville, Merchant	14	7 75
Spiegelmyer, G R,	Bellefonte, Merchant	14	7 75
Sechler & Co,	Bellefonte, Grocer	11	15 75
Stitzer, H Y,	Bellefonte, Stationer	14	7 75
Schroyer, H H,	Bellefonte, Carpets etc	14	7 75
Stewart, J T,	Boalsburg, Merchant	13	10 75
Singer, Wm,	Blanchard, Merchant	14	7 75
Snyder, M D,	College, Merchant	13	10 75
Slagle & Holmes,	College, Grocers	14	7 75
Strohm, H M,	Centre Hill, Merchant	14	7 75
Smith, M,	Guyer, Merchant	14	7 75
Stover, J W,	Millheim, Grocer & Notions	14	7 75
Spigelmyer, M C	Millheim, Merchant	14	7 75
Smith, J C,	Millheim, Hardware	13	10 75
Stover, L B,	Madisonburg, Merchant	14	7 75
Shaeffer & Son,	Nittany, Merchant	14	7 75
Stuart, John W,	Oak Hall, Grain & Coal	14	7 75
Stuart, John W,	College, Grain and Coal	14	7 75
Stevens, Geo,	Port Matilda, Merchant	14	7 75
Swires & Homer,	Philipsburg Merchant	13	10 75
Saxton, W E,	Philipsburg, Druggist	14	7 75
Sankey & Marks,	Philipsburg, Boots & Shoes	13	10 75
Stuart, H S,	do Furniture	14	7 75
Switzer, Misses L J & K,	Philipsburg, Stationers	14	7 75
Swartz, S M,	Tusseyville, Merchant	14	7 75
Solt, David,	Zion, Merchant	14	7 75
Stam, J W,	Millheim, Merchant	14	7 75
Swartz & Dubbs,	Bellefonte, Farm Implements	14	7 75
Twitmire, W T,	Bellefonte, Stove & Tinware	14	7 75
Thompson John I,	Lemont, Grain and Coal	14	7 75
Thompson & Smith,	Potters Mills, Merchants	14	7 75
Troxel, I N,	Philipsburg, Merchants	12	13 25
Trenible, A E,	Philipsburg, Merchants	14	7 75
Waite, J S,	Bellefonte, Farm Implements	13	10 75
Williams, S H,	Bellefonte, Wall Paper	14	7 75
Wilkinson, W H,	Bellefonte, Queensware	13	10 75
Weber, J H,	Boalsburg, Merchant	14	7 75
Wolf, Wm & Son,	Centre Hall, Merchants	12	13 25
Wigton, R B & Son,	Guyer, Merchants	13	10 75
Weber & Son,	Howard, Merchants	13	10 75
Williams, W S,	Martha, Merchants	14	7 75
Weaver, D H,	Pine Grove Merchant	14	7 75
Wythe & Huffington,	Philipsburg, Merchants	10	20 75
Wolf, John A,	Philipsburg, Furniture	14	7 75
Wolf, R M,	Woodward, Merchant	13	10 75
Youngman, W H.	Millheim, Merchant	12	13 25
Yearick, Thomas,	Aronsburg, Merchant	14	7 75
Yearick, N H,	Walker, Merchant	14	7 75
Zeller & Son,	Bellefonte, Druggist	13	10 75
Ashcroft Peter,	Philipsburg, Tavern		150 75
Brandon Geo B,	Bellefonte, do		150 75
Eby N W,	Woodward, Distiller		100 75
Garman Daniel,	Bellefonte, Tavern		150 75
Haag Gotlieb,	Pleasant Gap, Distiller		100 75
Kohlbecker Alois,	Milesburg, Tavern		75 75
Myer D J,	Centre Hall, do		150 75
Musser Wm S,	Millheim do		150 75
Nolan Mary E,	Snow Shoe do		75 75
Parker Wm,	Philipsburg do		150 75
Passmore James,	Philipsburg do		150 75
Row S B,	do do		150 75
Robb Henry,	Nittany, do		75 75
Buhl D H,	Spring Mills do		75 75
Showers & Cardon,	Philipsburg do		150 75
Shaffer Reuben V,	Coburn do		75 75
Teller W R,	Bellefonte, do		150 75
Uzzle John G,	Snow Shoe do		75 75
Van Valin O W & Co,	Coburn, Distiller		100 75

An appeal will be held at the Commissioners office in Bellefonte, on Saturday the 25th day of May A. D. 1889 between the hours of 9 and 4 o'clock when and where persons interested may attend if they think proper.

M. F. RIDDLE, Mercantile Appraiser.

A SNAKE'S GOOD TIME.

From the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

A Georgian who lately returned from Hamilton, Marion county, Ala., relates the following: Mr. Owen Hatch keeps a small grocery store in this neighborhood. Mr. Hatch sells liquor as well as family groceries. Keeping only a small stock of liquor on hand, he keeps most of it in jugs. One day last week a two-gallon jug of corn liquor was left standing on the floor behind the counter, Mr Hatch stepped behind the counter and was surprised to see a black snake coiled around the jug with its head inside. He watched for a moment, and soon discovered that the snake was drinking liquor. It was not disturbed, and after several minutes it slowly uncoiled itself and attempted to crawl away, but was too drunk, and stretched itself out on the floor, apparently asleep until next day.

Mr. Hatch examined the jug and found that the snake had drank more than a quart of liquor. Two days later the same snake returned and when it crawled under the counter Mr. Hatch watched it. By coiling itself around the jug and giving its neck a twist around the stopper it was able to remove the cork, and again thrust its head inside and began to drink liquor. It was allowed to drink its fill again, after which it was killed.

A new counterfeit dollar made of brass, with a thin coating of silver electroplate, has made its appearance. The spurious coin is a good imitation. It rings much like the genuine one, only a little sharper. It has the appearance of having been carried in countless pockets, and the stars and the figures of Liberty look worn, but the date, '1861,' is sharply cut and fails to carry out this impression. The depressed portion of the two sides are off color, looking blue beside a genuine coin. Inferior half and quarter dollars were discovered in circulation in Chicago recently. They are light weight, do not ring, have a dull, leaden color, and ought not to deceive any one.

"Papa, I wish you would whip me a little."

"Why, then?"

"Because, when you whip me, mamma gives me pears."

On the Hunt—"But doctor, why didn't you kill that snipe? He came just right for you." "But my dear fellow, he flew zig zag, and I had no sooner fired zig than he was zag."

Mrs. Brief (who had been reading an article on Sleep in a health paper): "John, is it best to lie on the right side or the left?" John (a lawyer): "If you are on the right side, it usually isn't necessary to lie at all."

It is a fact worthy of note that all the women elected to municipal offices in Kansas this spring wear "Mrs." in front of their names. It seems to require a matrimonial experience to develop the governing instinct in women."

Brown—Where is that fiver I laid on the table a moment ago?

Mrs. Brown—You never expected to see that again, did you?

Brown—And why not?

Mrs. Brown—I supposed you understood enough of parliamentary practice to know that when a bill was laid on the table it was seldom heard of again.

Advertisement in an English paper: Wanted, an able-bodied man at country rectory, willing to make himself generally useful, must have thorough knowledge of chickens, pigs and understand milking; must be able to drive horses and groom them; ring the church bells, dig graves, be a cheerful mourner, and not object to carry coffin; where parlor maid is kept.

We see a great deal in the papers these days about the poverty of literary men in this age. Nonsense! There never was another age that offered to the literary man so many opportunities to acquire wealth as this one does. Where else, for instance, is the age in which a literary man could make $10,000 a year writing poems to advertise soap or baking powders?

A Stockton doctor's wife recently asked him to draw a pail of water. It was quite late in the evening, and the doctor took a pail in one hand and a lighted lantern in the other and started for the well. The doctor carefully fastened the lantern to the pole and lowered it into the well, submerging and extinguishing the light. It was only when he drew the lantern to the surface that he discovered his mistake.

It is estimated by a mint official that there is still existing somewhere floating about the country, tied up in old stockings or in the hands of curiosity collectors, over 100,000,000 of the old fashioned copper cents, about 120,000,000 of copper-nickel cents, nearly 5,000,000,000 of the present issue of brown pennies 25,000,000 of the nickel three cent pieces and about 200,000,000 of the nickel five-cent pieces. The total value of these outstanding various coins put in round numbers at $120,000,000.

A DIFFICULT QUESTION.

WHEN LIVING IS HIGH AND WAGES ARE LOW

WHAT WILL THE DOLLAR A DAY MAN DO?

Editor Daily News: Your able article, "The Need of the Hour," will set many to thinking. Speaking of the relation of wages to prices, it is said that a laborer's dollar will go as far now as two some years ago. This is true regarding clothing; cotton goods of all kinds are cheaper than the history of the business has ever known them to be. But the cost of clothing is in a poor man's family a small item in comparison to the cost of providing for the demands of his stomach.

When he of the hoof and horns ordered wheat up through his Chicago agency, up it went like a rocket, taking its twin children, flour and bread, with it; but when it dropped, the twins were forgotten or lost on the way.

When coffee was cornered every grain in the retail trade felt the electric thrill, but when the big corner broke and coffee got a fall, the coffee in the one pound sack did not come down at all.

Sugar is the next candidate for *high* honors. The committee having this sweet mission in charge have not yet fully decided as to their course. It may be announced a short crop, it may be a *Hutch-clutch*; but whatever its name the result is the same—the command is up, up!

Butter, under the influence of the first heat, has slipped down to twenty cents, but with the abolition of the fence law, which will abolish the poor man's cow, no telling where its ambitions will lead it.

Beef is up—has been in fact ever since the aspiring bovine's flight over the moon. She, with her posterity, seem to have struck permanently on its horns.

Now, with beef averaging thirteen cents a pound, butter twenty, coffee from twenty-five to thirty, flour one dollar and fifty cents a sack and sugar starting on its soar at ten cents, will some master mathematician figure out the balance left in a man's purse after he has provided rent and living for a family of five from a month's wages at one dollar per day? M.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper W. A. NOYES, 149 *Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

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—The storm on Friday afternoon did more damage than is usually caused by a wind storm in this vicinity. We think it was not so much because of the velocity of the wind as that it came from an entirely different direction from usual, caused by two storms meeting and thus changing the direction of the storm. It leveled a division fence between Mr. McGinley's property and that of Mrs. Shrom's on Lamb street, a tree was blown from Gen. Hastings yard across the front walk. The frame work of Mr. Utz's house had just been erected and was blown down by the wind, which we are sorry to note, because it will entail quite a loss. We are also sorry to hear that Mr. Everhart, who was working on Mr. Baney's new house on East High street was slightly hurt by being struck by a timber blown from the house. Along the Lemont railroad, just outside of town, the wind amounted to a hurricane and blew down large trees and innumerable branches. It came so suddenly as to startle many people, and the way it rattled things around and in the open houses was a caution. The wind took the roof from the Presbyterian church at Buffalo Run, breaking it into a thousand fragments.

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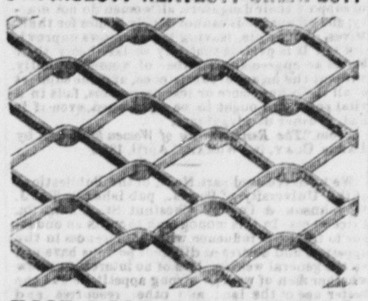

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Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth:

SECTION I. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment is proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the Eighteenth Article thereof:

AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution to be designated as Article XIX, as follows:

ARTICLE XIX.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor, to be used as a beverage, is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdemeanor, punishable as shall be provided by law.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor for other purposes than as a beverage may be allowed in such manner only as may be prescribed by law. The General Assembly shall, at the first session succeeding the adoption of this article of the Constitution, enact laws with adequate penalties for its enforcement.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.
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AMENDMENT.

Strike out from section one, of article eight, the four qualifications for voters which reads as follows:

"If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," so that the section which reads as follows:

"Every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year, (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election," shall be amended, so as to read as follows:

Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at the polling place of the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere.

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least thirty days.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year [or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months] immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least thirty days immediately preceding the election. The legislature, at the session thereof next after the adoption of this section, shall, and from time to time thereafter may, enact laws to properly enforce this provision.

Fourth. Every male citizen of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a citizen for thirty days and an inhabitant of this state one year next preceding an election, except at municipal elections, and for the last thirty days a resident of the election district in which he may offer his vote, shall be entitled to vote at such election in the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere for all officers that now are or hereafter may be elected by the people: *Provided*, That in time of war no elector in the actual military service of the State or of the United States, in the army or navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from such election district, and the legislature shall have power to provide the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the return and canvas of their votes in the election district in which they respectively reside.

Fifth. For the purpose of voting, no person shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his presence or absence while employed in the service of the United States or the waters of the State or of the high seas, nor while a student of any college or seminary of learning, nor while kept at any almshouse or public institution, except the inmates of any home for disabled and indigent soldiers and sailors, who, for the purpose of voting, shall be deemed to reside in the election district where said home is located. Laws shall be made for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage hereby established."

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The Wage Worker's Side.

As wage-workers, you and I have every reason to examine the merits of the proposed Constitutional Amendment in its relation to the great problem before the workingman of to-day—how to keep wages at the highest without diminishing the purchasing power of a dollar. We are law-abiding and law-sustaining citizens, and pass lightly over the liquor advocate's threat of defiant and wholesale violations of such a law if ever enacted. Pennsylvania has always shown herself fully able to take care of all law-breakers within her limits, and he cannot scare us from voting for a proper measure. Should he, however, be able to show us that the adoption of the Amendment will tend either to reduce wages or to increase the cost of living, then we might *possibly* consider the propriety of casting a ballot against its adoption.

The opponents of the Amendment have not been slow to recognize our position, and their argument in defence of the saloon is, in great part, an effort to show that the adoption of the Amendment would result,—

FIRST,—In an unemployed army being thrown upon the labor market competing with us for work;

SECOND,—In a paralysis of the agricultural interest, by the loss of a market for grain;

THIRD,—In a general stagnation of business and manufacturing interests.

The first proposition is one that might have served its purpose to frighten the workman forty years ago, but we of to-day have some insight of the leading principles of economics, and, with the census tables in hand, we may approach the subject without a tremor. Let us begin right at home, taking for our guide the statistics of Philadelphia, as presented in the tenth census—the latest obtainable statistical authority.

We find that a total capital of $9,983,350 invested in the malting, brewing and distilling industries (?) gives employment to 1629 men. It requires, then, $6128.50 to be invested in this business for each man to whom it gives work. Now let us go on. Total capital invested in all other industries, $177,165,507; total number of employes, 183,898, or one to every $963.50 invested. The money invested in the crime-producing business would, then, in the *real* industries, give work to not less than five times as many men as it does there. This would not only provide for all thrown out of employment by the adoption of the Amendment, but leave room for the men now incapaciated by drink, who will then be able to resume their places in the producer's army, and Capital would still be obliged to seek for labor. *Does this not look as though we should vote for the Amendment?*

Now, for the farmers. That which effects them effects us, and quickly, too. There are no statistics upon this point, but it needs no proof that but a very small proportion of the grain raised in Pennsylvania goes to the manufacture of alcoholic drink. The whiskey mainly comes into the state ready-made, from the West, while the beer is brewed mainly from Canadian barley. However, if every drop of this liquor was produced from Pennsylvania grain, we might stop its manufacture and the demands of a sober state for meat and bread would more than use the entire grain product. Adopt the Amendment. Let the drunkard's hungry children enjoy their right, a sufficiency of wholesome food, and the farmer will prosper and all of us with him. *We had better vote that way.*

The third point, the "business bugaboo," has been raised by every monoply which the people have attacked in the last century; "If you do this, trade will never recover;" "If that is not done, business will be prostrated;" "This" has been done and "that" has been left undone, and the merchant has pursued an unchanged course. The simple assertion will no longer suffice. Let them give a reason why the stoppage of the drink traffic should cause a business stagnation. Better than that; let them shut down their drunk-factories from now until June 18, and give the people an object-lesson on the subject. They dare not. *Everybody would be for the Amendment.*

Take this subject to the shop with you. Talk it over at dinner-hour. Think of it in all its bearings and, if you then decide to vote against the amendment, take your boy with you to the polls and tell him that you are voting to keep the saloon doors wide open, ever ready to swallow him, body soul.

I don't see how you can dare!

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EDITOR'S TABLE.

WOMAN'S GREAT DISADVANTAGE.

The greatest disadvantage under which women now labor is, I think, without doubt, that they are not trained up to earn an independent living. Society can be soundly developed only as the individuals composing it are so, and liberty is an essential to healthy growth. But there is no true liberty where one is dependent on the will of others for the means of subsistence. Any perception of of justice must indicate that she who is dependent upon another's liberality for the means of living owes to that other whatever return docility and compliance can make. But this attitude of mind is all but destruction to any strong individuality. Society being composed of men and women, however, women's thought and character are valuable to it only in proportion as they are distinctively womanly. The best interests of society demand that women be trained so as to grow up into the full stature of womanhood. When woman, then, has passed childhood, the training time of life, she owes it to herself and to humanity to stand firm, self-poised and self-supporting.

This view too, we find enforced by the exigencies of life. It is admitted that no woman can be truly happy herself, or can be of service to others, unless her faculties are employed in some useful occupation; but there are very few women so circumstanced that their labor is not needed for their maintenance. The common theory of the proper destiny of girls is that they shall be supported by their fathers until womanhood, when they shall marry and find a field of useful employment and a means of support in their husbands, households. Now, it takes but a small observation of life to show that these two sources of support fail in a very considerable number of cases and are liable to fail in every single one. All fathers are not able to support their daughters, all women do not marry; and all husbands cannot supply homes for their wives, or they die, leaving their widows unprovided for. It is evident that any social theory that leaves an appreciable number of women actually without the means of subsistence, and the support of all the others more or less precarious, fails in a vital point and ought to be abandoned, even if it had no other disadvantages.

From "*The Responsibility of Women to Society*, by LAURA CLAY, in "WOMAN," April, 1888.

We have received part No. 4, of the Publications of the University of Penna., published by T & J. W. Johnson & Co., 535 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa. Price 50 cts. In this monograph there is an endeavor to trace the influence which differences in the appetites and desires of different persons have upon the general welfare. It is of no interest to know whether men of weak or strong appetites make the better use of the land and other resources, and who it is that has the greater variety in consumption.

Improvements in production and the great reduction in the cost of many kinds of food are changing the direction of consumption and forcing men to adopt new habits and diet. To a new country like America these changes are of especial importance. So many different races of men are thrown together that it is a problem to decide what type of men will survive. The conditions which fix the standard of life and the wages of the laborers are fully discussed; the causes of the growing contest between the temperance and liquor parties are pointed out; and the effects of improved consumption upon the increase and price of food is made evident.

The April number of THE AMERICAN MAGAZINE is rich in topics of the season. The peculiar ceremonies with which the Moravians of Salem, N. C., celebrate Easter are described by Edward A. Oldham. The "boom, boom, boom" of the prairie-cock—a harbinger of spring—gives Hamlin Garland a theme for the third of his sketches of a farmer-boy's life in the West. Ernest E. Thompson presents in musical annotation the song of the meadow-lark of Manitoba, and claims for that vocalist the highest order of merit. Equally appropriate are the stanzas "Mistress April" by Helen Chase, "My Pansies" by Nellie M. Garabrant, and "The Resurrection" by Margaret H. Lawless.

A wonderful interest has been shown throughout the West in Prof. James Baldwin's paper, "The Centre of the Republic," in *Scribner's Magazine* for April. It is an inspiring account of the rise and pregress of the Ohio Valley, suggested by the Centennial celebration soon to take place at Cincinnati. Prof Baldwin's account of what has been accomplished produces a glow of patriotism and makes his readers proud of their birthright.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for May is another proof of the determination of its conductors that in all respects it shall lead the other monthlies. One after one the names of the principal magazine writers of to-day greet the eye as the pages are slowly turned over, and their literary efforts are supplemented by the best artistic work of artist and engraver. Neither in variety nor excellence will this number be easily surpassed. The frontispiece is a portrait of Kinglake, the historian, and is of especial interest now that his work of thirty years, "The Invasion of the Crimea," has just been finished.

TWO HOMES.

We hope the working men that read this article, will all endeavor to make their home like the first one described.

"Let us look into contrasted homes, where the only variable element is the drinking habit of the head.

The full wages of the Temperate man brings from year to year better food, better clothing, and better shelter. Improved sanitary arrangements tell on the health of the father, wife and children. The house becomes more and more a home. The passer-by notices the vines that cluster about the door way, and the little flowers that peep through the windows. Upon the inside wall the picture speaks of a drawing taste, and the piano or some simpler musical instrument, shows that the daughter is adding a charm and refinement to the family circle. Books and periodicals show the surplus dollar. Every influence is elevating. Introduce the element of drinking, and you reverse the picture. Year by year the physical comforts of the house lessen. The tenements must narrow to the means, and locate itself in noisome neighborhoods. The wife first pinches herself in food and clothing, but the time soon comes when the children too, must suffer. The scanty clothing becomes ragged. The church and the school know the children no longer. No flowers adorn, no sound of music cheers such a dwelling. The fire goes out upon the hearth, and the light of hope fades from the heart. Soon the very form of a family is broken up, and public charity cares for the scattered fragments. An American home has been blotted out.

Important to Railroad Men

A. E. Smith has been for forty-nine years road master on the Boston and Maine system, and is now residing at Great Falls, N. H. He says trackmen, brakemen, firemen, engineers and conductors, as well as baggage masters and expressmen, are subject to kidney disease above all others. All, therefore, will be interested in the statement of his experience. "I have used Brown's Sarsaparilla for kidney and liver troubles, and can truly say it has done more for me than all the doctors I ever employed, and I have had occasion to require the services of the best physicians in the State. My wife also has been greatly benefited by its use.

A E SMITH.
Road Master B & M R R."

The kidneys have been labored hard all winter, as the pores of the skin have been closed, but now the springtime has come, and they need some aid May be you have that pain across the back; that tired feeling; those 'drawing down pains, if so you can get immediate relief by following the example of Mr. Smith and his wife and use that never-failing and grand corrector for the kidneys, liver and blood,

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A Plea For The English Sparrow

Even the kind-hearted John Burroughs has given a reluctant assent to the popular verdict against the English sparrow. But a popular outcery is not *always* well founded. The noisy, pugnacious, often greedy little bird has such hosts of enemies that it is only manly to see if popular prejudice is not going too far, and whether or not the English Sparrow is a wholly bad bird

Some years ago I lived in a town in Western New York, not far from Rochester. In my garden was a fine peach tree, full of blossoms. As I lived in the outskirts of the town, a sparrow at that time, seldom had been seen in the garden.

One day a neigbor not two blocks away said to me: "The English Sparrows are destroying all the peach-blossoms! Smith and his boys are shooting all that come in his yard. But I won't fight the birds. As I can afford it, I prefer to buy my peaches."

"Smith and his boys" saved the blossoms but got barely fifty peaches from a dozen trees and those were mostly too wormy to be used. My tree, untouched by the "blossom destroyers," had less than a dozen peaches, and they were wormy; while the friend who allowed the English Sparrows to work their own sweet will had about a half-bushel of fair-cheeked, full-sized, beautiful peaches.

At the time when the blossoms were covering the trees, I had a newspaper controversy (through a Geneva journal) with a Rochester fruit-grower on this same subject, for I had examined hundreds of blossoms and found the germ of some insect in most of them. I insisted then, and still do insist, that the sparrows destroyed only such blossoms as not only would have destroyed the fruit for that year, but for many subsequent years There are portions of Illinois in which farmers are unable to raise wheat on account of the insect known as weevil. But a great outcery is made that the English Sparrow destroys wheat! How many have made any examination of *what* was being destroyed in order to tell positively whether the wheat was sound or not? Now, sons of farmers, you may help settle the question. It is not an unknightly deed to defend the character of an unpopular bird.

Put down in a clear space one peck of sound wheat; then ten feet away put down one peck of wheat that is full of weevil; then stand back and wait and just notice what the sparrows do.

I believe that you will find that invariably the diseased wheat will be eaten first. If the birds are *very* hungry they may afterwards take the good wheat But even boys eat as long as they are hungry.

For centuries the crow, too, has been shot at, destroyed and abused by men; and to-day how few know—or will believe the good crows do in agriculture. I refuse to let anyone disturb crows when they settle on my newly planted corn-fields, and my neighbors, here in Southern Maryland, have to replant far more than I do. I do not dispute that the crows take some toll for destroying the cut-worms; but I think them entitled to as much as they take.

I took a neighbor through his own corn-field, and offered him a dollar for every ear of corn (not yet fully ripe) which had been partially eaten by the crows but which did not show traces of the corn-worm. He could not find one from which the crow had not first taken the worm. In no case could a sound ear be found that had been disturbed by the crows. Still the same man continues to shoot the crows.

Entomology and ornithology, in their practial application, are branches of agriculture, and there is need of much post-graduate study in the gardens and fields. These sciences cannot be fully learned in the schools.

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THE PHILADELPHIA MUSICAL JOURNAL is now published by Messrs. Gould & Woolley 1416 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, they have purchased it from its former proprietors April 1st, and the May issue, now at hand, shows a marked improvement in all departments over previous issues of this well-known and popular publication. The literary portion includes a portrait and interesting sketch of Von Bulow; an Educational Department, edited by Dr. Hugh A. Clark, of the University of Pennsylvania, an addition to the editorial force of the paper that will add much to its value from an educational standpoint; Musical news, reports of concerts, a charming story entitled "A Musical Interlude;" articles on the Banjo the M. T. N. A.; Band News; Musical Biography; Sketches and Anecdotes interesting and valuable to all. The musical numbers are "Cavotte Antique" by F. W. E. Diedericks; "Breath of Spring Polka," the famous "Yorke Dance;" a charming vocal number, "Joys of Spring," by Adam Geibel, and the "Eight O'clock Club Polka," for the banjo by Arm strong. This music, if purchased in sheet orm, would cost fully $2 00 and is but a fair specimen of that given every month. In addition to all this valuable variety of music and musical literature twelve times a year, every subscriber receives a musical premium, "The Musical Journal Folio," 64 pages, containing over 30 choice vocal and instrumental compositions, alone worth many times the price of subscription—only $1.00. Specimen copies 10 cents. Gould & Woolley, 1416 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

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Read our Coffee advertisement. We changed it two or three days ago. Kaughphy is used in Bellefonte to a great extent. Our people, however, should come into the custom of using better grades. We can sell you a blended Kaughphy that cannot fail to be a delight to all lovers of good Coffee. Eureka Grocery Co

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We have on our table the May number of The Catholic World, a magazine of general literature and science, published at the office of the Catholic World; No., 6 Park Place, New York. We have examined it and find it full of good things. Among the articles of special interest to us; we may mention "Religion in Spain," Extinct Reptiles and Mammals of North America.' "A Gloria," a very interesting story scene in Italy, "The Supernatural," "A Forgotten Catholic," "The Educational Grievances of Catholics," and many others of deep interest. It is a book of 150 pages beautifully printed and well bound, we shall watch for its visits from month to month with interest. It is a magazine that should be in every Catholic family and, would be of great interest to those of any faith who desire good literature. The constant reading of this valuable work will insure any person a liberal education. Try it. Price one copy 35 cents or $4.00 per year.

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A recent dispatch announced the death of a photographer in North Africa at the hands of some of the Arabs, who consider the mysterious copies of nature a sacrilegious magician. The first impression was that it might be David Ker, the famous traveler, who was known to have taken a camera among those Mahammedans, risking the danger of their fanaticism purposely. But Mr Ker has just turned up in New York, and the result of his further travels, illustrated by his own photographs, will appear in THE COSMOPOLITAN. In the May number he describes the present site of ancient Carthage.

In the GOOD HEALTH for May, Dr. Felix L. Oswald begins his admirable series of "International Health Studies," which will be warmly welcomed by his numerous admirers; and Rev. E. C. B. Haliam, a returned missionary, contributes a valuable article on "Narcotics, and Their Use in India." Mothers appreciate Dr. Kate Lindsay's paper on babies' dress, and so will the babies. S. Isadore Miner has a bright and clever story, "Teavs, Cigars," and the loveliest of May poems. Prof. A. Swedberg writes a timely article on his late countryman, Captain John Ericson, the inventor; and Mrs. E. G White gives us an instructive educational paper; while the importance of the "Few Words to Mothers" supplied by Mrs. E. E. Kellog, A. M.' in her usual chaste, impressive style, cannot be estimated. There is also another installment of the valuable series, "Short Talks About the Body, and How to care for It," by a Doctor. The Editor-in-Chief, now in Europe, furnishes a breezy account of his ocean trip, which is most enjoyable. The number, as a whole, is an exceedingly interesting one, and fully up to its usual standard of purity and excellence. $1.25 per year: single copies, fifteen cents. Good Health Publishing Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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A Snow Shoe Boy in the Circus Wreck.

Some of the particulars of the wreck of Barnum's circus in Williamsport, last Friday, have already been given our readers. We have just learned, however, of certain details, one of them of local interest, not heretofore published. It was a circus in more ways than one. Several of the lady performers were in the act of changing their clothes when the cyclone suddenly lifted the canvass from the dressing room tent They emitted some unearthly screeches as they quickly grabbed what clothes the wind had not blown away and wrapped themselves in these garments as best they could. They made a bee line for the wagons. A man named Harris, who is a Williamsport grocer, had a Flying Jennie in operation, the machine having cost him $3500. It was located one-fourth of a mile east of the circus tent. When the wind first struck the apparatus it hoisted it up in a perpendicular position and it then had the appearance of a large circular saw. Then another and more violent gust of wind elevated it several feet further. It lingered in the air a second and then came down with a crash, there being scarcely a piece in the entire concern which was left unbroken. We have known men to make $800 per day with one of those machines, but Mr. Harris lost $1200 in about five minutes.

Master Arthur Budinger, son of T B Budinger, of Snow Shoe, was in the audience with his brother and four Williamsport cousins. When the wind commenced to make things lively Master Arthur did not wait for any advice about leaving the tent, but was one of the first to make his way outside. He became separated from his friends and saw on all sides only a vast concourse of excited strangers.

He did not know the way to the home of his uncle which is at 945 West Third St., and was virtually lost in a strange city. That fact and the raging of the cyclone was more than he could bear, so he began to cry. A man asked him what was the matter and he succeeded in explaining that he was lost and that his home was in Snow Shoe. In regard to his Williamsport stopping place he could remember that No. 945 was on the door and that his uncle's name was Dan Plummer, but he could not remember the name of the street. The man took him to the police headquarters and by the aid of the City Directory, they found out where Dan Plummer lived, and a policeman escorted him to the house of his uncle at 945 West Third street. His father, T. B. Buddinger, and his Williamsport relatives had been hunting for him all the afternoon in the rain, and were greatly relieved when the boy returned home safe and sound.

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Gold Rope tobacco at the Eureka Grocery Co., store—a fine article.

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Hops, at the Eureka Grocery store.

Apples at the Eureka Grocery Co. store. They are sound and of excellent flavor, a luxury now.

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All kinds of dried fruit, at the Eureka Grocery Co. store.

The office should seek the man, but it has to dodge him a great deal now-a-days.

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We have all the brands of tea known to the trade. We are selling now at a low price. Eureka Grocery Co.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, May 14, 1889.

Red Wheat, per bushel	90
Mixed Wheat, per bushel	85
Buckwheat, new, per bushel	40
Rye per bushel	45
Corn (shelled)	45
Corn (ears)	40
Oats	27
Barley	45
Cloverseed, fair to good	$5.00
do prime and extra prime	5.50
do choice	6 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	6.20
Flour, wholesale	5.10
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$13.00
Nova Scotia Plaster	$9.50

Provision Markets.

[Corrected weekly by A C Moyer & Bro]

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	13
Dried Currants, per pound	10
New Raisins, per pound	10—12½
Beans, per quart	10
Fresh Butter, per pound	15
Cheese, per pound	18
Country Hams, per pound	12½
Hams, sugar cured	14
Shoulders	10
Breakfast Bacon	12
Country Bacon	10
Lard, leaf, per pound	12½
Lard, country per pound	10
Eggs per dozen	12½
Potatoes, per bushel	25
Dried Beef	25
Canned Beef, 2 pound can	25
Country sale, per pound	11
Canned Tomatoes, per can	12½—15
Canned Corn, per can	10—12½
Canned peaches, per dozen	80
Canned sweet Corn, per pound	15
Apple Butter, per gallon	50
Buffalo Flour, per sack	$1 40
Apples, per bushel	$100

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Something More About Eureka Coffee.

We have had quite an essay on coffee before the public until almost all have read it. We propose to continue the subject and hope all will read and, perchance, be profited thereby, as they certainly will, if they purchase their "Kaughphy" at the Eureka Grocery Co. store, High St. next door to Post Office, Bellefonte, Pa.

The employment of "Kaughphy" as a beverage was introduced from Arabia, in the 16th Century, into Egypt and Constantinople. Leonhard Ranwolf, a German physician, was probably the first to make "Kaughphy" known in Europe, by the account of his travels printed in 1573. Soon after the first introduction of 'Kaughphy' 'Kaughphy" houses arose almost everywhere. The first in Europe was established in Constantinople in 1551.

In London, the first "Kaughphy"-house was opened in Newman's Court, Cornhill, 1652, by a Greek named Pasquet. This Greek was the servant of an English merchant named Edwards, who brought some "Kaughphy" with him from Smyrna, and whose house, when the fact became known, was so thronged with friends and visitors to taste the new beverage, that to relieve himself from annoyance, Edwards established his servant in a "Kaughphy"-house. The first "Kaughphy"-house in France was opened at Marseilles in 1671, and in 1672 there was one opened in Paris, which soon had several competitors.

The important offices which "Kaughphy" fulfills as a beverage are, to allay the sensation of hunger; to produce an exhilerating and refreshing effect; and, most important of all, to diminish the amount of wear and tear, or waste of the animal frame, which proceeds more or less at every moment. The grounds of "Kaughphy" are very tritious, from containing so much legumim; and some of the Eastern Nations take advantage of this and use the grounds as well as the infusion. In other respects "Kaughphy" possesses similar properties to Tea.

The easiest way of making "Kaughphy" requiring no special apparatus, and as satisfactory in results perhaps as any—is to put two ounces of ground "Kaughphy" into a small "Kaughphy"-pot, pour over it a pint of boiling water, and allow it to stand closely covered up by the side of the fire (but not to boil) for five minutes. The liquid then to be simply poured off the grounds, or it may be strained through a cloth, and then returned to the "Kaughphy"-pot (previously rinsed out) and warmed again.

Sayre recommended, that before the boiling water is poured in the "Kaughphy"-pot should be set dry upon the fire and the ground "Kaughphy" steamed until it is quite hot, but not in the least burned. In France a pint of boiling milk is added to a pint of "Kaughphy." Those who purchase their "Kaughphy" at the Eureka Grocery Co., store will obtain an article equal to the best that can be obtained anywhere, at the same price. We have "Kaughphy" of every grade, name and quality, known to the trade; and the purchaser, by blending the different qualities of high grade "Kaughphy" can obtain an article which will make a drink equal to the "nectar of the gods;" especially if made with proper care, or the directions as above stated are followed.

Among the "Kaughphies" we may mention, among the higher grades, a fine Java which has been selected with a special care; Old Government Java, a brand known to all lovers of fine "Kaughphy;" Old Mexican, also a fine article; Mocha, a kind of "Kaughphy" also well known, and very excellent to blend with lighter grades; Maricarbo and Golden Lugget, Rio "Kaughphy" of excellent quality. Of the lower grades we have Arbuckles, in black and red letter, Willets, Arriosa, Enida, Bonola, a good article of loose "Kaughphy' at 25 cents a pound, also a ground Kaughphy called the Red Cross, which we sell for 18 cents. This latter however is not a pure article but is adulterated with chicory. We haev also everything in the Grocery line. Call and examine our goods.

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THE NEW CURE FOR RHEUMATISM,

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Written for the DAILY NEWS.

The wasp sting cure for rheumatism is just becoming popular, and as we were troubled at certain times with this complaint we were simple enough to try the above mentioned remedy.

The result was not just what we were led to believe it would be, but it satisfied our longing to try the cure.

We secured a boy who for the small sum of twenty-five cents agreed to secure for us a first class adult wasp warranted to sting on the slightest provocations, the boy in question to test the insect at home before recommending it as an insect of reliability.

He captured what he said was a full grown specimen and brought it to our house after dark and called us out behind the wood shed to get the insect confined in a small tin box. As the boy seemed in great haste we asked him a few questions, received the desired answer, paid him his quarter and allowed him to depart, which was a very foolish move on our part as we should have chained him in the wood shed until we had tested the wasp.

As we were somewhat familiar with the history of the insect, we felt quite sure of not only its ability but its willingness to do the work in a satisfactory if not in a pleasing manner.

However, the boy lied, for he told us the wasp was a native of their garret and had stung every member of the household not less than three times, and he was not sure, but he thought that it had stung the baby oftener, as they never investigated matters when it cried and hence could not say positively.

We felt somewhat proud of our investment and went into the house to contemplate matters and to make up our mind just how we would arrange with the wasp in order to have the thing over as soon as possible.

After a moment's thought we decided to await until our betterhalf was asleep and then take the box to bed and lie on it awhile until the insect would become lively.

Then it was our intention to get the box as near the seat of pain as possible, take off the lid and provoke the wasp. We had not taken into consideration that the uneasy thing would attempt to get away, hence we were greatly excited when the box was opened to see the insect start for our sleeping wife and before we had time to wink it had located on the left ear and stung her six times in as many seconds.

We were terriby frightened and at once tried to hide the box to prevent her suspecting our connection with the affair, as she had told us several times nobody but a fool or an idiot would try such a remedy and as we were very desirous of standing high in her estimation we just slipped the box lid and all under our body and were leaning over to offer our sympathy when something seemed to let loose forty needles right into our back and in less than two seconds we realized how matters stood. That worthless villian of a boy had played us false and we had let loose in our bed a whole family of the meanest tribe of wasps in Christendom.

For about two minutes we were unable to move. We just lay still and yelled,—fire, murder, help, mercy, and everything else we could yell, with those villianous wasps inside our shirt and giving us one sting apiece every four seconds.

Then we got mad. We sprang out on to the floor and set our foot on the lid of the box which contained father wasp in an active state of existence. He gave us an additional prod to keep up our courage.

Our wife in the meantime had crawled under the bed in a fainting condition and as we could not see her we supposed she had found her way into the hall and we were just in the act of plunging through the door when the hired girl entered with the lighted lamp. We felt our situation keenly and backed as far under the bureau as we could and awaited developments.

This seemed to be the opportunity for which the wasps were waiting. The girl could see no one and supposed we had both been murdered. She was just in the act of leaving the room when she spied us under the bureau and came over to inquire the cause of the excitement, when father wasp and his whole family began operations. We yelled at her to put out the light and give us a chance to escape.

But she misunderstood our distress for cowardice, and set the lamp down on top of the bureau just as the first wasp got in his cure.

All of a sudden she realized the necessity for action and tried to escape, but the wasps were too quick for her and for the next five minutes we were an interested spectator of one of the most heroic fights against odds we had ever heard of.

That girl was young, active, and powerful. She killed two wasps every time she struck out, but their numbers seemed to increase instead of diminish, and the villianous insects seemed to take a fiendish delight in making that girl howl.

They stung her on an average once every half second, and she yelled once and jumped twice between every sting.

At last her courage began to fail and she started backward for the door fighting as she went until she came to the trunk when she lost her balance and down she went, killing three of the measly things with her heel as she disappeared behind the trunk.

Our position was discovered in the meantime by the disappointed creatures and they began operations on us, for the second time, which was more than one could stand; and thinking the girl had fainted, we started in our scant apparel for the open door, which we reached at two jumps, followed by every living wasp in that room. Then we lost hope and just started for the stairs descending three steps at a time, followed closely by the foe.

We opened the front door and started out, cutting a circle around the house.

We could not see the enemy, but we felt they were near and our only hope lay in running around that house until they were killed by exhaustion.

We had gone around five times, and thinking our foe were all dead, we stopped and listened, and we could hear them singing around the last corner.

Then we began to put in our best licks. We had gone around several times more before we discovered that we were being watched by a party of young folks who were on their way home from church. Just as we were going around the ninth time one of the young ladies yelled "Go it, old man.' Then we went it for the front door, determined to die inside if we must die. When we reached the door we found the dead latch had done its work from the inside and we were locked out among a lot of young ladies and gentlemen who were enjoying themselves at our expense and lack of clothing.

We backed around the corner once more and crawled under the porch, where we remained until daylight. When our neighbor came to the well for water we frightened him almost to death by poking our bare head from under the porch and asking him for the loan of a pair of pantaloons in order that we might get into the house and see what had become of our wife and the hired girl. Just as we were ascending the steps after dressing ourselves in the borrowed pantaloons we met the girl with her bundle under her arm leaving the house.

When we asked after our wife we were told she was awaiting us within, a fact which we discovered a moment later on entering the kitchen. There she sat with her head tied up in a towel saturated with camphor. Before her was the tin box that had held the wasps a few hours before. We were too moved to speak and were in the act of leaving the room when she said, "Come here, let me gaze for a moment on the face of the greatest idiot in the United States." We felt humble and we let her gaze. Every two seconds she would remark something about our lunacy that was not pleasant to hear. At the end of ten minutes she had exhausted her vocabulary of terms and she dismissed us, we feeling that the rheumatism was a blessing compared to the state of our mind.

We overtook the girl and persuaded her to return by promising her a new dress once a month and allowing her to keep company with her young man in our best front room.

The boy never appeared to inquire after our health.

We found out from another boy how matters stood. The young villian had taken a red headed boy into his confidence, who owed us a grudge of long standing for refusing him our cigar stump, and together they had planned my ruin.

The tin box is an ornament on our mantel, and every time we complain of pain our wife calls attention to its location.

We now endure the most horrible torture without flinching, as anything is preferable to the silent contempt of our other half.

We have learned one lesson, and that is never try a cure for anything that passes through the hand of a red headed boy they are villians of the deepest dye.

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A Priest's Death.

THE FATE OF REV. FATHER BLUEMELL, ONCE PASTOR OF THE BELLEFONTE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

A somewhat remarkable story, which will interest some of the older citizens of this place, finds its way in a correspondence from Atlanta, Ga., to the Pittsburg Commercial Gazette. We give it entire. The Rev. Father Otto, a Benedictine father now in this city, tells an interesting story of his long search after a missing priest who was once an associate of his in Pennsylvania. He said 'I was born in Bavaria and completed 'my collegate course there. Among my schoolmates was a boy named Bluemell, a boy of grit and determination. We became bosom friends. We both determined to become candidates for the priesthood, and hence, our lives were strangely thrown together. Ordained on the same day, we both selected the American mission, and strange to say, a few months later we found ourselves the inmates of the same walls, the Benedictine Abbey of St. Vincent, in Westmorland county, Pa. The last time I saw him in life was the year before the war. He was pastor in the church in Bellefonte, Centre county, Pennsylvania while I was pastor of the church in St. Mary's, Elk county, in the same State. We were ordered to exchange stations, and in doing so met. Shortly afterward Bishop Whalen, of Nashville, Tenn., made a call for priests, and Father Bluemell responded, and was cut off from us by the war which followed soon after".

FATHER BLUEMELL'S SYMPATHIES.

"For a long time we heard nothing more of him, in fact, not until Nashville fell in the hands of General Thomas Among the priests acting as chaplain in the Confederate army, who, by special permit, were allowed to enter the Federal lines to tender like duty, was my friend Father Bluemell. He had become warmly attached to the Southern cause, and boldly spoke his sentiments in the presence of General Thomas. Through the influence of Father Rosecrans, afterward Bishop of Columbus, Ohio, and his brother General Rosecrans, Father Bluemell was allowed much immunity. Later on it became suspected that Father Bluemell made use of his freedom of the Federal lines to carry medicine back to the sick Confederates. This suspicion reaching the ear of General Rosecrans, he at once wrote to the Abbot at St. Vincent, Pa., begging him to recall Father Bluemell, as he was likely to fall under the displeasure of General Thomas, when unpleasant consequences would ensue. The recall was sent, but in the bustle of military changes it must not have reached him, because he never responded.

ALL TRACES LOST.

"For years Father Bluemell was lost sight of. Diligent inquiries were made of visiting priests from the South for a long time without affect, but at last reports reached the Abbot that Father Bluemell had been killed in an engagement between Nashville and Chattnooga, and that his body had been buried in a garden belonging to an Irish lady. Search of the battle fields between the points named was unsuccessful, and for years again Father Bluemeli sunk into oblivion. Recently the Benedictines were invited by Bishop O'Sullivan, of Alabama, into his diocese, and Tuscumbia was designated as the field of our operations. To this mission I was appointed, and then I heard such reports of a priest having been killed in the battle of Jonesboro, Ga., that I wrote to Frank Kelly, of Atlanta. He replied at once that the name name of the priest was Bluemell, that his grave had been carefully marked and tenderly cared for by the wife and daughter of Captain Holliday, and that Mrs. Holliday was still living in Atlanta. I came here a couple of days ago, went to Jonesboro, where the citizens received me very kindly, and the bones of my friend are now contained in this small box. I shall take them to Tuscombia and give them interment in my little church.

FOUND AFTER THIRTY YEARS.

"Thirty years ago I last saw my friend in life, full of hope, filled with energy to paeach the gospel. To-day what is left are a few bones only, but they are precious relics to me."

The story of Father Bluemell's death, as told by Mrs. Holliday, was strikingly realistic The battle of Jonesboro was in progress. The air was sulphurous, amid the carnage of conflict. Captain Gracia, a gallant Confederate officer, fell mortally wounded. Father Bluemell, who kept in the thickest of the fight in order that he might render religious aid, sprang to the Captain's side, picked him up and was taking the dying man's confession as he carried him to the rear. As the good priest pronounced the absolving words, a shell took his head away and he fell dead in the arms of his dying penitent. Captain Gracia lived long enough to tell the story and died. The two were hastily buried near a clump of trees, where, when the war was over, Mrs. Holliday and her daughters, being the only Catholic family in the town, took charge of it. Several years later the ladies of Jonesboro, headed by Mrs. Loud, had the bodies removed to the Confederate cemetery. The body of another Catholic soldier, Ignatius Brooks, was placed beside the two, and to the three a whole square was given. Since that time, year after year, the ladies have kept the strange priest's grave fragrant with flowers, and so accostomed had they become to the duty that it was with regret that they yielded their claim to his old friend, Father Otto.

The Sad Fate of a Moustache.

In our town there lives a boy
Whose moustache was his only joy,
He cultivated it for years,
Trying to make it reach his ears.

But nothing but a little fuzz
Would grow beneath his Roman nose.
So one day he started out to hunt
The very best barber there was in Bellefonte.

He thought it would make a little show
To get it colored—den cher know.
And not for a moment was his courage shaken
When he went to have his picture taken.

But now alas! his moustache is gone
Where the woodbine twineth and the whang doodle mourn.
If this young man's name you wish to see
You'll find his initials are A. B. C.

LITTLE JOKER.

Houserville, Centre County, Pa.

—When the great storm of Saturday occurred, our city was fortunate in being highly favored. We escaped without serious harm.—*Altoona Times*.

Yes, naturally any city is "fortunate in being highly favored" and it may likewise be said to be highly favored in being fortunate. But in what was it highly favored? Was it in the fact that you "escaped without serious harm?" That was indeed a great blessing, for no one can estimate what a calamity it would have been had you been blown to the top of a telegraph pole or been shocked by a flash of lightning. But as you escaped any such severe injury the grateful people of your city will probably hold a thanksgiving meeting.

—On Sunday last memorial services to the memory of the late Rev. W. H. H. Snyder were held in the Reformed church of this place and also in the Reformed church at Zion. A sermon was preached in the morning by Rev. J. F. DeLong, of Lewisburg, recently pastor here, and in the evening Rev. J. A. Peters, D. D., of Danville, delivered the sermon. The church was draped in mourning and there were other evidences of the sentiment of the congregation on the sad occasion. The sermons were feeling and impressive. The services at Zion took place in the afternoon.

The mosquito as a public singer draws well, but never gives satisfaction. Salvation Oil however always gives satisfaction in curing at once insect bites or any other sores or wounds. Price 25 cents.

Every home should be supplied with a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup,—the great family remedy.

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—A young man named William Cox, living in Tyrone, committed suicide on Saturday. He was a drinking man and was also in love; his girl refused to accept his attentions and his employer discharged him because of drunkenness. These two facts made him very despondent and he took a dose of laudanum and also of Rough on Rats, which soon ended his life.

MUSICAL COLLEGE.—The 35th session of Six Weeks, opens Monday evening, April 29, for the Teaching of Young Ladies in Vocal and Instrumental Music. Address, F. C. MOYER, Director, Freeburg, Pa.

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An independent old lady, speaking of Adam's naming all the animals, said she didn't think he deserved any credit for naming the pig. Any one would know what to call him.

"Michael, the pig-sty should not stand so near the house. It is unwholesome." "Oh, no, doctor, you are wrong. My pig has not been sick an hour yet."

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Desperate Tetter.

I can testify that S. S. S. is the best blood medicine that I ever took, and believe it is the best in the world. It cured a desperate case of Tetter on my feet and legs, which withstood all other treatment, and was so painful that I could not wear my shoes.

J. BROOKS.

Dawson, Ga., Sept. 25, 1888.

Scrofulous Sore Leg.

Five years I had a sore leg, which would yield to no treatment—until I took two bottles S. S. S., which promptly cured it, and there has been no sign of return—this was in 1886.

E. R. BOST.

Newton, N. C., Nov. 23, 1888.

Boils.

ABBEVILLE, S. C., Oct. 20, 1888.

I was the victim for five or six years of the worst boils that I ever saw, which the doctors failed to cure. I began S. S. S., and in a short time the poison was driven out of my system, and not a sign of boils or any other blood trouble has returned. I recommend S. S. S. to everybody. J. G. EDWARDS.

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—Centre county papers are requested to copy this notice from the Altoona *Tribune* of Monday morning: "At twenty-five minutes after 11 o'clock yesterday morning Mrs. Glyde L., wife of George R. Deffenbaugh, died at her home No. 707 Twentieth street, in the 22d year of her age. Funeral on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in Oak Ridge cemetery. Friends of the family are respectively invited to attend."

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SULPHUR BITTERS.

Why suffer with Boils? Why lay and toss on that bed of pain, with Rheumatism? What makes you tremble so? Your nerves are all unstrung, and need a gentle soothing tonic to assist nature to repair the damage which your excesses have caused. SULPHUR BITTERS is not a cheap Rum or poor Whiskey drink, to be taken by the glass, like other preparations which stimulate only TO DESTROY. If you have failed to receive any benefit from other medicines or doctors, do not despair. Use SULPHUR BITTERS. They will cure you where all others fail. No person can remain long sick who uses

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Letters, testamentary upon the estate of Isaac Gray, de ceased, late of Patton town hip, Centre county, Penna., having been granted by the Register to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate, will present them duly authenticated, to

SAMUEL T. GRAY,
SARAH L GRAY
Executors.

Buffalo Run, Centre county, Penna.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that G. F. Woodring, A. R. Woodring, and Jacob Woodring, doing business under the firm name of G. F. Woodring & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent The books and accounts are left in the hands of Jacob Woodring who will settle up the business of the firm.

G. F. WOODRING,
A. R. WOODRING,
JACOB, WOODRING.

Port Matilda April 16, 1889. 21-17-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration upon the Estate of the Rev. Wm. H. H. Snyder, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased, having been granted by the Register of Centre County, to the undersigned, he requests all persons indebted to deceased to make immediate payment and those having claims against him to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.

D. S. KELLER, Administrator.
P. O. address, Bellefonte, Pa.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—Orphans Court of Centre County, in the matter of the Estate of Mary A. Pennington, dec'd.

The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by said Court to report distribution of the funds in the hands of James H. Carner, Administrator of &c., will meet the parties in interest for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, on Saturday, the 25th day of May A. D. 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all parties in interest may attend if they see proper.

C. P. HEWES, Auditor.

21 19 3t.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.—GOD SAVE the Commonwealth. I, Robert Cooke, Jr., High Sheriff of the county of Centre, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid that an election will be held in the said county of Centre, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 1889,

for the purpose of deciding upon the approval and ratification or rejection of two separate amendments to the constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The *first* of said amendments being as follows:

AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution to be designated as Article XIX, as follows:

ARTICLE XIX.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor, to be used as a beverage, is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdemeanor, punishable as shall be provided by law.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor for other purposes than as a beverage may be allowed in such manner only as may be prescribed by law. The General Assembly shall, at the first session succeeding the adoption of this article of the Constitution, enact laws with adequate penalties for its enforcement.

The second thereof being as follows:

AMENDMENT.

Strike out from section one, of article eight, the four qualifications for voters which reads as follows:

"If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," so that the section which reads as follows:

"Every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year, (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election," shall be amended, so as to read as follows:

Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at the polling place of the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere.

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least thirty days.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year [or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months] immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least thirty days immediately preceding the election. The legislature, at the session thereof next after the adoption of this section, shall, and from time to time thereafter may, enact laws to properly enforce this provision.

Fourth. Every male citizen of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a citizen for thirty days and an inhabitant of this state one year next preceding an election, except at municipal elections, and for the last thirty days a resident of the election district in which he may offer his vote, shall be entitled to vote at such election in the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere for all officers that now are or hereafter may be elected by the people: *Provided*, That in time of war no elector in the actual military service of the State or of the United States, in the army or navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from such election district, and the legislature shall have power to provide the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the return and canvas of their votes in the election district in which they respectively reside.

Fifth. For the purpose of voting, no person shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his presence or absence while employed in the service of the United States or the State, nor while engaged in the navigation of the waters of the State or of the high seas, nor while a student of any college or seminary of learning, nor while kept at any almshouse or public institution, except the inmates of any home for disabled and indigent soldiers and sailors, who, for the purpose of voting, shall be deemed to reside in the election district where said home is located. Laws shall be made for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage hereby established."

I also hereby make known and give notice that the places for holding the aforesaid election in the several boroughs and townships within the county of Centre are as follows, to wit:

For the township of Haines (eastern precinct,) at the public school house at Woodward.

For the township of Haines (western precinct,) at the public house of T G Edmunds, Aaronsburg.

For the township of Half Moon, at the school house in Stormstown.

For the township of Taylor, at the house erected for that purpose on the property of Leonard Merryman.

For the township of Miles, in the school house in the town of Rebersburg.

For the township of Gregg [north precinct,] at Murray's school house.

For the township of Gregg [south precinct] at the dwelling house owned by J S Fisher, at Penn Hall.

For the borough of Centre Hall, at the public school house in said borough.

For the township of Potter (northern precinct,) at the public house of D J Meyer, in Centre Hall.

For the township of Potter (south precinct,) at the house owned by J B Fisher, of Penn Hall, and occupied by Frank Hosterman.

For the township of College, at the school house in Lemont.

For the township of Ferguson (old precinct,) at the school house in Pine Grove.

For the township of Ferguson (new precinct) at the old school house at Baileyville.

For the township of Harris at the school house in Boalsburg.

For the township of Patton at the house of Peter Murray.

For the North ward of the borough of Bellefonte at the Court House in Bellefonte.

For the South ward of the borough of Bellefonte at the Court House in Bellefonte.

For the West ward of the borough of Bellefonte at the Court House in Bellefonte.

For the township of Benner at the Court House in Bellefonte.

For the township of Spring at the Court House in Bellefonte.

For the township of Walker in the school house at Hublersburg.

For the township of Howard at the school house in the borough of Howard.

For the borough of Howard at the public school house in said borough.

For the township of Rush (northern precinct) at the school house at Cold Stream.

For the township of Rush (southern precinct) in the public school house in the village of Powelton

For the township of Snow Shoe (eastern precinct) at the school house in the village of Snow Shoe.

For the township of Snow Shoe (western precinct) at the school house in the village of Moshannon.

For the township of Marion at the school house in Jacksonville.

For the borough of Milesburg at the school house in Milesburg.

For the township of Boggs (eastern precinct) at Curtin's school house.

For the township of Boggs (western precinct) at the school house in Central City.

For the township of Boggs (northern precinct) at the public school house known as "Walker's School House."

For the township of Huston at the Silver Dale school house.

For the township of Penn at the public house kept by R V Shaffer, at Coburn.

For the borough of Millheim at the school house opposite the Evangelical church in said borough

For the township of Liberty at the school house in Eagleville.

For the township of Worth at the school house in Port Matilda.

For the township of Burnside at the house of J K Boak.

For the township of Curtin at the school house near Retert Mann's.

For the township of Union at the school house in the borough of Unionville.

For the borough of Unionville at the new school house in said borough.

For the First ward of the borough of Philipsburg at Wheelman's Club House, at corner of Beaver and Second streets.

For the Second ward of the borough of Philipsburg at the Public Building, at the corner of North Centre and Presqueisle streets.

For the Third ward of the borough of Philipsburg at the store of William Hess, at the corner of Spruce and Ninth streets.

NOTICE is hereby given, "That every person excepting justices of the peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of the State or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State, or of the United States, or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector, or clerk of an election of this Commonwealth; and that no Inspector, Judge or other office of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for."

At all elections held under the laws of the Commonwealth, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock a. m., and closed at 7 o'clock p. m.,

TICKETS TO BE VOTED.

And it shall be the duty of the judges, inspectors and clerks of each of said townships, boroughs, wards, precincts and districts to receive at the said election separate tickets either written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, from each of the qualified voters of this State who may offer the same, and to deposit them in a box or boxes to be for the purpose provided by the proper officers, which tickets shall be printed separately, one labled on the outside "prohibitory amendment, to the constitution," and on the inside "for the prohibitory amendment," or "against the prohibitory amendment;" the other labled on the outside "suffrage amendment to the Constitution," and on the inside "for the suffrage amendment," or "against the suffrage amendment."

Given under my hand and seal at my office in Bellefonte, this 6th day of May, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-nine and in the One Hundred and Thirteenth year of the Independence of the United States.

ROBERT COOK, Jr.
Sheriff of Centre County.

AN ADDRESS BY SENATOR COLQUITT.

A Large Audience of Voters Listen to the Powerful and Eloquent Speaker.

The Court House was packed full of men on Friday evening, there being only a few ladies present. The attraction of the evening was Senator A. H. Colquitt, of Georgia. Ex-Judge Orvis presided and C P Hewes, Esq., named the following persons for vice presidents: F W Crider, Hammond Sechler, Dr. E S Dorworth and D Z Kline, of Bellefonte, R K Wilson, of Marion township; Solomon Peck, of Walker; George Taylor, of Boggs; Joseph Marshall, of Benner; J Miles Green, of Milesburg; Jonathan Schenck, of Howard; John Wetzell, of Spring; J B Fisher, of Gregg; Wm. Wolf, of Centre Hall; Daniel Hess, of Harris; H C Campbell, of Ferguson, Michael Strohm, of Centre Hill; Wm. P Fisher, of Union; Henry Meyer, of Miles; and Hon. J G Meyer, of Haines.

The exercises began with prayer by Rev. W A Houck. A male quintette composed of Messrs. Whippo, Lukenbach, Barnhart, Rone, and Basset sung very entertainingly and the speaker of the evening was introduced. Senator Colquitt is a handsome man, large in person, with flowing iron gray hair, strong features and attractive manner. There is not so much in what he said as in the intensity and strength of his utterance, his dramatic and effective manner and his suberb powers of ridicule. The way in which he masses his facts and illustrations in argument seem to sweep away opposition, where many more facts presented by another speaker would not seem so strong. Much of this power lies in his ability to arrange and present facts so that his auditors can perceive their force in the same way that they appear to him. He called attention to the fact of beginning the meeting with prayer and sacred song and contrasted that with what would naturally be the method of opening a whiskey meeting. Could we imagine such a meeting being opened in this way? The question is not one of finances or diplomacy, but of an institution of civilized society. If in this state it should by any chance be resolved into a question of politics the result would be fatal. As there was held up to the Israelites a blessing and a curse so now we have to choose between the two. If liquor will promote sobriety, virtue and excellence of any kind it is a blessing—vote for it. If it debauches manhood and ruins the man vote against it—it is a curse. He never yet heard a man say it was a blessing, but has met many who are disposed to treat it with indifference. Selfishness he considers the great cause of indifference. If every man thought that his son would be the victim of whiskey he would vote for the amendment, but each one thinks it will be some other man's son. Then he pictured in strong language the individual who considers h/mself too important to give attention to such subjects, but can interest himself in nothing less than the fisheries treaty, tariff or our foreign relations.

He gave new points against the old threadbare assertion that Prohibition will not prohibit. Men who say that do not know what they are talking about. Every statute in the code of laws is prohibitory; every commandment in the decalogue is 'Thou shalt not;' he would stake his word for it that in Kansas, Iowa, Maine and in many places in Georgia Prohibition is as well enforced as any other law. If Pennsylvania with her 40,000 malitia cannot enforce Prohibition let her call on the U S Army and the Navy, give up her statehood and it will be enforced.

If the argument that men have a hankering for that which is forbidden be true it would be policy to abolish all our laws.

As to personal liberty, how is it with high license? The man who don't have $500 or $1,000 cannot sell his one barrel of extract of dogwood and blue vitrol while the rich man can purchase the right to sell his hogshead of the stuff. Don't believe in sumptuary laws, don't you? But you are living under them. You are not allowed to dress as you please. If you think you are, just become absent minded some morning and walk down street dressed as you please.

He talked confidentially to the Democrats present. The real doctrine of Democracy is to lift man to the higher plane of living. If whiskey will do this sooner than total abstinence, vote for whiskey. As to Republicans, he would not give them advice because they already have 80,000 majority in this State and can carry it if they will—if not, they will show that they really have no personal liberty, but are under machine rule.

In this land of liberty where our forefathers and grandfathers bled and died, where we have the stars and stripes, the Fourth of July, and the eagle to spread his wings over us—the man with the small pox must be shut up in the pest house, and though he come to the door and proclaim to a liberty-loving people all about the eagle we will not let him out. But the liquor saloon, which is a thousand times worse, is allowed to remain on the most public corner of the town.

He concluded with a thought he had gathered from a view of the statue of Liberty on Bedloe's Island, New York harbor. It was modeled after the spiritualized face of the artist's mother, which to him typifies most perfectly liberty and purity. Then with consummate acting the Senator showed the sort of a statue that should be erected if the whiskey vote is to prevail. An impious, drunken, bleared wretch striking his wife who in her agony is kneeling at his feet.

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This place [Laurel Run] is some three miles from Johnsonville, where one of the largest tanneries in the world is in full operation. Here I stumbled upon a full nest of Centre county people engaged in the manufacture of lumber with a portable saw mill. H. J. Waliser, was President of the colony, manager of the lumbering operations, has sawyer, and paymaster: Mr. Philip Ertle, settler, E. J. Waliser, off-bearer, E. C. Diets, slab cutter, C. H. Waliser, log maker, William Burger lumber piler, John O'Neil and William Ertle, truck runners, Louis Wagner, the fat German from Howard, acting in the capacity of lumber runner and tallyman, and many others find employment at this mill.

Mrs. Susan Ertle, an expert cook, presides over the culinary department of the colony which numbers twenty-persons, with that ease and grace for which she is noted.

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A Vote of Thanks.

At a regular meeting of Local Assembly 2333, Knights of Labor, held Monday evening, May 6, 1889, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, that this Assembly extend its sincere thanks to the board of Commissioners of Centre county, for the use of the Court House, so kindly granted us, for the lecture of Brother John O'Keefe, Wednesday evening, May 1, 1889.

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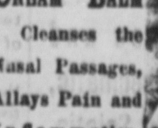

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AN ADDRESS.

To The Friends of the Prohibitory Amendment.

The State is thoroughly organized for effective work and a vast amount is being done. About fifty meetings are being held nightly—one hundred and fifty-seven newspapers are earnestly with us and we are gaining every day.

The tactics of the enemy, so far as developed, are to spread the State over with specious but false documents calculated to deceive the people and induce them to vote against themselves and in favor of their enemies. By the payment of liberal sums they have obtained space in some newspapers for the publication of items which purport to be news from prohibitory States to the effect that prohibition is injurious to business and property. In every instance such articles are falsehoods, but they are likely to do harm and must be proven false.

We need men of National reputation from such States to stand before the people and proclaim the truth. Some counties that cannot help themselves need assistance. New and fresh documents showing how prohibition will increase business, decrease taxes and benefit everybody must be circulated

Nothing can be done without money This is a fight of the people.

As a rule those who are possessed of great wealth are either not with us or no inclined to give. We must therefore appeal to the people. Do not let this cause suffer for the want of money. We can as well fight a battle without powder as conduct this campaign without money. A State that sends out hundreds of thousand annually to convert the heathen will not let this greater work languish for want of means. I ask every man and woman in the State, friendly to the Amendment, to send me something. Let every one that can, give a dollar; more if possible. Place what you can afford in an envelope and send to me at once, in stamps postal order, check or money. Do not say "let my neighbor do it," or "I have given already,"—do it yourselves. Every penny sent shall be made to do good.

All that is needed to win this fight is that every friend shall from this time until election day declare faith in its success, and work and give according to ability. How can you work? Talk, attend meetings, encourage your leaders, persuade your friends, influence every one you can reach. Let every one know that you are for the Amendment in earnest and the victory is ours. HENRY W. PALMER, Chairman.

All kinds of canned goods at the Eureka. These goods are cheaper this year than ever before and of the best quality. They sell at a price that actually does not pay the manufacturers for canning. The merchants who gave future orders last year have all lost money on these goods, but this is all to the advantage of the customer, and should, as it does, result in large sales. The place to buy these goods isat the Eureka Grocery store, next door to post-office.

SECRETARY BLAINE has formally presented the New British Minister to the President and once more everything is smooth between the Great Britain and the Greater Britain.

Call at the Eureka Grocery Co., store, High St., next door to post-office, for your groceries. We sell the best goods at whole sale prices.

The Emperor of China is said to employ ten men to carry his umbrella. It is quite evident that this youthful potentate is prepared for a hard reign.

All kinds of salt fish at the Eureka Grocery Co., store—cod, shad, mackerel, lake herring, ciscos, white fish, &c, and cheap to try them, fine goods.

CLEVELAND'S seal brown horses, his carriages, etc., were sold the other day in Washington and it is said that everything went pretty cheap.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, May 13, 1889.

Red Wheat, per bushel	90
Mixed Wheat, per bushel	85
Buckwheat, new, per bushel	40
Rye per bushel	45
Corn (shelled)	45
Corn (ears)	40
Oats	27
Barley	45
Cloverseed, fair to good	$5.00
do prime and extra prime	5.50
do choice	6 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	6.50
Flour, wholesale	5.50
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$15.00
Nova Scotia Plaster	20.50

Provision Markets.

[Corrected weekly by A C Meyer & Bro]

Apples, dried, per pound	6
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	15
Dried Currants, per pound	10
New Raisins, per pound	10—12½
Beans, per quart	10
Fresh Butter, per pound	20
Cheese, per pound	18
Country Hams, per pound	12½
Hams, sugar cured	14
Shoulders	10
Breakfast Bacon	12
Country Bacon	10
Lard, leaf, per pound	13
Lard, country, per pound	10
Eggs, per dozen	12½
Potatoes, per bushel	30
Dried Beef	20
Canned Beef, 2 pound can	25
Country Side, per pound	
Canned Tomatoes, per can	
Canned Corn, per can	
Canned Peas, per dozen	
Dried Sweet Corn, per pound	
Apple Butter, per gallon	50
Buffalo Flour, per sack	$1 40
Apples, per bushel	90

—The mornings are wonderfully lovely.

—Light suits and straw hats are suddenly very popular.

—The legislature adjourned on Thursday at 8 o'clock a. m.

—Some of the trees are literally covered with billowy masses of blossoms.

—Corn planting is going ahead now—*Centre Reporter*. Soon it will be going (to) an ear.

—While in Philadelphia, R. M. Magee, Esq., and family will be located at 3624 Hamilton street.

—Capt. Austin Curtin has a new military title. The Huntingdon *Local News* alludes to him as Col. Curtin.

—Gregg Post has procured quite a handsome design of frame work on which to place flowers on Memorial Day.

—We notice that the famous old war horse, Gen. Ben. Butler, is on the Prohibition side—at least, he is "going for" Porter quite lively.

"Yes," said Bagley, "I have become quite famous as an author, and now I have to cultivate eccentricities. I am around paying my debts."

—Only two of a family of eleven children of Mr. Jackson Buck, of Centre Hall, are yet living, the ninth, a son, dying on Monday of this week.

—The new scalp law signed by the Governor last week allows $10 for each wolf, $2 for each wild cat, $1 for each fox and 25 cents for each mink killed.

—The bycicle craze is beginning to take hold of the female sex—*Tyrone Daily Herald*. About the same time the crazy female sex begin to take hold of the bicycle.

—The $400,000 appropriated by the last Congress for the purpose has been distributed among the National Guards of the various States. Pennsylvania got as her share $28,478,

—On Monday of this week the Supreme Court, among other decisions, rendered the following from this county: "Decree affirmed, per curiam, in Reighard and Sankey's appeal."

—Mrs. Catharine Harkins, of Tyrone was fatally burned by flames from a coal oil lamp on Wednesday morning. Her husband, James B. Harkins, was also seriously burned in endeavoring to save her life.

—All the expert fishermen of this vicinity have been plying the rod this week. On Wednesday evening we noticed Judge Orvis going off with the intention of eclipsing the efforts of all the others in this direction.

—The *Gazette* and the *Watchman* both blundered a great deal in their first statements as to the repeal of the fence law Both are nearer right this week, though they hesitate to acknowledge that their first statements were not correct.

—On Thursday evening of this week, at the regular evening gathering of the public in connection with the High school exercises, Prof. Jackson, of the State College will be the orator and D. F. Fortney, President of the School Board, will also deliver an address.

—The population of Bellefonte increases more rapidly than a careful account can be kept. For instance, handsome twins arrived on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C F Solt, near the glass works. They are a boy and a girl and give promise to live long and prosper.

—Geographical socials are something new. The method of conducting them is for a lady upon entering the room in which the social is held to draw from a receptacle a card containing the name of some county seat in the state and for each gentleman to draw the name of a county. The counties are then required to hunt up county seat and take them to supper.

—C M Bower, Esq., of this place, is mourning the death of his father, Mr. Jacob Bower, which occurred suddenly at his home in Penns Valley on Thursday, May 2. On the same day occurred the death of Mr. Geo. W Stover, another well known resident of Penns Valley. The two gentlemen were members of the Reformed church, and their almost simultaneous deaths caused much sorrow throughout the valley.

—There was a wedding in Lock Haven on Wednesday night, in which a Centre county young lady was one of the contracting parties. She was Miss Sadie E. Welsh, of Romola, this county, and she is now Mrs. C. F. Keller, her husband being the chief engineer of the fire department of Lock Haven. Rev. Mr. Jackson, of the Christian church, performed the ceremony. The friends of the groom found out that the ceremony was in progress and they tendered him and his bride several serenades.

—The Philadelphia *Musical Journal* for May has been received and is a very complete periodical of music and lecture pertaining thereto. It is published by Gould & Wooley 1416 and 1418 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, and at the low price of one dollar a year with a premium of a folio of sheet and instrumental music free to every subscriber. This is certainly a rare offer and any music loving person should avail themselves of the above opportunity. After the first of October the price of the *Journal* will be advanced to $1.50 per year.

Howard Blooming.

At this time of the year our place is literally embowered with flowers.

Our farmers are all employing the fine weather in planting their corn.

From all indications this year will be an extraordinary good fruit year.

George L. Thompson furnishes our citizens with all kinds of fresh meats.

Will McClintick, our accommodating livery keeper, has a fine stock of roadsters in his stable.

W. E. Confer's novelty store has received a full stock of goods. For good, soft, ice cool drinks call on him.

Mrs. John W. Gardner, of this place is visiting friends in Renovo.

Burdine Butler was here this week. He has started out on his spring circuit.

The cloud from an adjoining village is still hovering over this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Neff visited the upper end of Marsh Creek last Saturday and Sunday and witnessed the immersion of fifteen persons.

Mr. Perry Long, one of our best citizens, has filled his store with a new stock of dry goods.

It is now over one year since our forge and rod mill closed down, and there is no prospect of new life being infused into the works for a generation to come.

Merrill Neff, youngest son of W. N. Neff, is confined to his bed with bilious intermitting fever. Under the care of Dr. L. R. Hensyl he is improving.

John and James Bechtol, of Liberty township, sold to Mr. Sechler three fat steers that averaged 1350 pounds each. The price paid was $4.20 per hundred.

A. A. Schenck, our tin and hardware merchant, besides his regular line of goods, furnishes our community an excellent line of agricultural implements.

Diphtheria has entered the household of Jacob Robb and prostrated two of his children, one of which is not expected to recover.

Mrs. Mary Holmes, of Jacksonville, fell and broke her right arm. Mrs. Holmes being over 85 years of age, this accident had the effect of severely prostrating her, but we learn she is getting along finely.

Mr. John Hanscome, an old resident of this place, took his departure for Altoona, on last Tuesday, where he expects to reside in the future.

The other day Christ Schenck made a narrow escape with his life. Whilst working in a well 60 feet deep a loose stone fell striking him on the head, laying the scalp open. He is now able to be out.

The Prohibitionists in this place are whooping it up lively and if they don't carry the day it will not be beause they held no public meetings for they average three a week. Last Tuesday night was a rouser, Rev. Mr. Hayden, of Bellefonte being the leading speaker.

Preparations for Decoration day will be made on a grand scale this year Rev. Mr. King of the M. E. church will preach the Memorial sermon on Sunday preceeding. Capt. Kress, of Lock Haven, will deliver the address. The Odd Fellows and Sunday schools will join in the parade with the old vets.

We learn that at Eagleville on Decoration Day all the Sunday Schools, the I. O. of O. F. and the Patriotic Sons will march in procession with the G. A. R. to the different cemeteries and assist in strewing flowers upon the graves of our dead heroes.

W. E. Confer has opened an ice cream parlor in his residence, on main street, where persons desiring first class ice cream can purchase it by the dish, quart or gallon. This cream is manufactured by W. A. Wilt, of Leck Haven, and we advise the young ladies to invite their best fellow into this ice cream parlor and make him happy.

Picked Up at Milesburg.

Base ball seems to be as great a craze as ever, and few are the afternoons in which a game of base ball is not in progress.

A temperance meeting in the interest of Constitutional Amendment, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., will be held in Boggs' Hall, on Thursday evening, May 9. Home talent will figure conspicuously in this meeting. All friends as well as enemies of the cause are cordially invited to be present.

Dr. C. B. Church has returned from Philadelphia and reports Mrs. Moffit getting along very well.

Two of our young men? tried to break into Mr. Moffit's house while he and his wife were absent from home. How would the White Cap racket work in this case?

A union temperance prayer meeting will be held in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Butler has a prosperous summer school, thirty-eight pupils being in attendance.

We wonder how many dogs there are in Milesburg compared with the population. The cats have given up their midnight concerts and the dogs now exercise their melodious voices in the midnight air.

The pleasant face of Mr. William Morris is again seen on our streets.

Mr. James Peese has been appointed mine boss at Garman, Hart & Co's ore bank near Curtin's Rolling mill.

Mr. John Hibler is now visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Henry Rifiel, in New York. Mr. Hibler expects to bring home a full line of new goods.

Mr. E. H. Carr has several fine farm implements on exhibition near the drug store.

Mr. H. I. Bouse, our druggist, returned on Monday from Tyrone, where he has been visiting his brother Will Bouse, train dispatcher, who lives in that place.

We are informed that Rev. Sarvis will deliver a temperance lecture in the Diamond here, but as yet we have not been able to learn the date.

Mr. Howard Brown is able to be around again with the aid of crutches.

Mrs. Lee, of this place, is the possessor of a German silver watch 250 years old. It will run at times yet. T. L. R.

The Fence Law.

The *Fountain* being an independent journal, having no political axe to grind, has made a thorough investigation of the fence law of 1700 and 1784 and comes to the following conclusions.

The law of 1700 regulated the style of fence and provided compensation for the injury of stock caused by the owner of the field.

The law of 1784, that part of it relating to fences, is suplementary in character to the 1700 law, the balance pertaining mostly to swine and the election of appraisers and their duties.

The 1700 law applied to the whole province of Pennsylvania, whilst the 1784 law applied to only a few counties in Pennsylvania.

By the repeal of the 1700 law there is now no law to recover damages for the injury of stock by the owner of premises that stock might break into, consequently the owner of a field can kill or injure any stock that he finds trespassing in his enclosed fields and cannot be held for damages. In other words, the state of the whole matter is this: Owners of stock who let it run at large do so at their own risk.

There will doubtless be so many different constructions of the effect of the law that it is probable that only a suit at law for damages will decide its real meaning.

The law, however, cannot be regarded as in any sense in the interest of railroads, because their liability for damages remains the same. There is a special act on this subject relating to Centre county.

More News from Houserville.

HOUSERVILLE, May 8, 1889

Pleasant weather at present writing.

Farmers are busy planting corn.

A. B. Cowher still continues his calls to Fillmore.

Miss Blanche Jordon spent Sabbath with her parents at State College.

D. F. Houser, who was ill with typhoid fever, is slowly recovering.

Mr. Wm. Glenn, the cream gatherer, passes through our town every week. He drives a splendid span of sorrel horses.

Mrs. George Cronemiller has been beautifying her house by the erection of some very fine window shades.

R. C. Palmer and wife and J. D. Wirtz and wife spent Sabbath with relatives in Buffalo Run.

Our book agent, Irvin Wirtz, is with us again. Irvin is a resident of this place.

The lawn festival which was held at the U. B. parsonage on Saturday was largely attended. The young ladies and gentlemen especially enjoyed it and looked their level best.

Miss Sallie Johnsonbaugh, who was absent from home, has returned again.

Mr. Snyder has sold his farm at this place to Mr. J. O. Clark. Mr. Snyder and family intend to move to Miami county, Ohio, in the near future, Mr. S. being a former resident of that place.

SPRING.

—The inspection of Company B., N. G. of Pa., took place on Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. The inspecting officer was Capt. Geo. C Hamilton, of Warren, Pa. He is a member of Gen. Wiley's staff of the 2d Brigade. Lieut. William H Bean, of the U. S. Army, accompanied him. Fifty-five men and three officers were present and the inspection was conducted in a very satisfactory manner. It is believed that the officers were pleased with the personnel and condition of the company and with the skill the men have attained in military practice. Capt. Hamilton is a most excellent officer and is especially well qualified to conduct such inspections. He very favorably impressed the officers and men of Company B. Lieut. Bean, as an officer of the U. S. Army, was able to offer many practical suggestions which will be of benefit. The officers left on the 5 o'clock train on Thursday.

—Some building is in progress in this vicinity. Out on Willow Bank street Mr. Sechler's new double house is well under way and, almost opposite it, Mr. William Steele is erecting a house. Mr. Utz, the genial blacksmith, has finished the foundation for his new house on Bishop street and will at once erect the superstructure.

A Programme for the Circuit.

Rev. J. W. Bedford announces the appended outline of exercises for a Church and Sunday-school convention of the Snow Shoe M. E. circuit, which was held at Three Runs, Clearfield county, May 14 to 16th.

TUESDAY 7.45 p. m.

1. Address of Welcome.

2. Response by Rev. C. W. Rishell.

3. Methodism, its peculiarities in doctrine, Rev. M. C. Piper. Its peculiarities in polity, Rev. O. Hicks.

WEDNESDAY, 15th 9 a. m.

1. Our duty to the church to which we belong, Rev. C W Rishell.

2. The duties of each member of the Quarterly Conference, Rev. M C Piper.

3. Relation of the Sunday-school to the Church and Quarterly Conference, Rev. J S Beyer.

2.00 p. m.—1. Children's meeting, Rev. O Hicks.

2. The second coming of Chirst; how and when, Rev. H H Crostley.

3. How may each member help insure the success of the pastor, Rev. M C Piper.

7.45 p. m.—Circuit Missionary Anniversary.

1 The duty of the church to evangelize the world, Rev. J S Beyer.

2. The prospects of Christianity in the work of the conversion of the world, Rev O Hicks.

THURSDAY, 16th a. m.

1. The utilization of Young People in church work, Rev. M C Piper.

2. The Sunday-school Union of the Methodist Episcopal church, and our duty concerning it, Rev. J S Beyer.

3. Church Loyalty, Rev. C W Rishell.

2.00 p. m.—1. Children's meeting, Rev O Hicks.

2. Can the necessary Sabbath school work of the church be done by undenominational or union Sunday schools? Rev. M C Piper.

3. Methodist Literature, its standard, and necessity in every family of the church, and how to put it there, Rev. J S Beyer.

7.45 p. m.—Circuit Temperance Anniversary.

1. The position of the Methodist Episcopal Church on the Liquor traffic, Rev. C W Rishell.

2. How shall we most certainly secure the adoption of the Prohibitory Amendment? Revs. Beyer, Piper and Hicks.

Each service will be opened with devotional exercises, and at the close of each session a Query Box will be opened and answers be given. All queries to receive an answer must be made concerning some church doctrine or usage held by us, or on some subject contained in this programme.

Dr. J. W. Neff will have charge of the singing, and the Epworth Hymnal will be used.

—We regret to notice that Joe W Furey, of the Lock Haven *Daily Democrat*, devotes much of his time and the space in his paper to the disparagement of the prospects and merits of Constitutional Prohibition. Of course, what he says does not insure the cause, but that is the object aimed at. It is going to triumph by a great majority even in opposition to every newspaper in the State if necessary. How strange that anyone could be induced to oppose a cause which is designed to bring sobriety, happiness and prosperity to the people! When we saw in the *Democrat* the statement that on Wednesday the mercury in Lock Haven marked 90° in the shade and the circulation of a breeze was the only thing which rendered the temperature bearable, we really pitied this whiskey editor. If he cannot stand 90° in the shade without a breeze what will he do in that place which his temperance opposition will lead him to—where the mercury marks 90,000° in the sun and where every thing is fried out so completely that there is not sufficient substance to make any shade? But even that he will have to bear without a murmur.

—About a month ago some Lock Haven citizen went to the river, laid down and drowned himself and his body was not found until Wednesday of this week. Who the person is had not been discovered when we last heard of the affair but the mystery will soon be unraveled. An unusual number of the citizens of that place seem to get tired of life and hence bring it to a sudden and sad end, and we are confident that if they would only move into a live town like Bellefonte they would enjoy life better.

—On Wednesday evening Mr. Thomas Hutchinson departed for Williamsport, where he enters upon his duties as agent for the Adams Express Company between that city and Emporium. We guess the call came quite suddenly to Tom, as we knew nothing of it until he started away. He has been a faithful employe of the Company here and the invitation, "Come up higher!" was very well bestowed. We hope he will be pleased with his new position and duties.

—And now the small boy holds up two fingers to the other kids and straightway the whole mob goeth to the river's brink, disrobeth and jumpeth in headforemost and the eel skins around their ankles standeth in the air. All this preventeth rheumatism when old age cometh on. So sayeth the oldest inhabitant who is yet around these parts.

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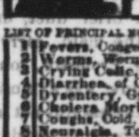

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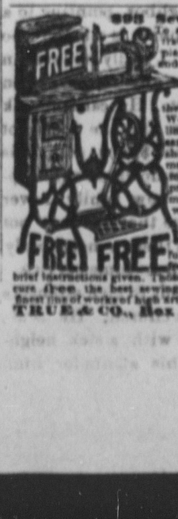

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RAILROADS

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—TIME Table, November 26, 1888.

EASTWARD A. M	P. M		WESTWARD A. M	P. M
8 10	7 15	Leave....Tyrone...Arrive	11 55	6 37
8 20	7 28	..... Vail.....	11 43	6 24
8 25	7 33	.....Bald Eagle.....	11 38	6 19
8 30	7 39	.....Dix f.....	11 32	6 12
8 32	47	..... Fowler f.....	11 29	6 09
8 35	46	..... Hannah f.....	11 26	6 06
8 48	55	.....Port Matilda.....	11 19	5 56
8 51	05	.....Martha.....	11 09	5 47
8 59	8 15	.....Julian.....	11 59	5 35
9 10	8 25	.....Unionville.....	10 48	5 24
9 18	8 35	..... Snow Shoe Int.	10 38	5 14
9 22	8 39	.....Milesburg.....	10 35	5 19
9 32	8 49	.....Bellefonte.....	10 24	5 09
9 47	9 01	.....Milesburg.....	10 12	4 48
10 01	9 11	.....Curtin.....	10 01	4 38
9 06	9 17	.....Mount Eagle f.....	9 54	4 32
10 16	9 27	.....Howard.....	9 44	4 22
10 30	9 40	.....Eagleville f.....	9 30	4 08
10 35	9 45	.....Beech Creek.....	9 25	4 03
10 50	10 01	..... Mill Hall.....	9 09	3 48
10 54	10 05	.....Flemington f.....	9 05	3 45
11 00	10 10	Arr....Lock Haven....Lea	9 00	3 40

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE RAILROAD.—Time Table, November 26, 1888.

Leaves Snow Shoe at 5.45 a m; arrives at Bellefonte at 8.45 a m.

Leaves Bellefonte at 10.25 a m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 11.50 a m.

Leaves Snow Shoe at 3.15 p m; arrives at Bellefonte at 5.29 p.m.

Leaves Bellefonte at 8.05 p m, arrives at Snow Shoe at 10.00 p.m.

S S BLAIR, General Supt.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, Nov. 12th, 1887.

WESTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed. A. M.
Leave Scotia	12 15	5 00
Fairbrook	12 46	5 26
Penn's Furnace	1 05	5 40
Hostler f	1 11	5 50
Marengo f	1 17	5 58
Loveville f	1 26	6 06
Furnace Road f	1 27	6 10
Dungarvin	1 36	6 19
Warriors Mark	1 50	6 29
Pennington	2 07	6 46
Weston Mill f	2 20	6 56
L. and T. Junc	2 26	6 59
Tyrone	2 35	6 59

EASTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed. A. M.
Leave Tyrone	4 50	9 25
L. & T. Junc	4 54	9 25
Weston Mill f	4 59	9 38
Pennington	5 08	9 48
Warriors Mark	5 05	9 58
Dungarvin	5 17	10 09
Furnace Road f	5 26	10 12
Loveville f	5 26	10 16
Marengo f	5 30	10 22
Hostler f	5 40	10 33
Penn's Furnace	5 50	10 44
Fairbrook	6 05	11 02
Scotia	6 25	11 30

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE R. R.—BELLEFONTE, NITTANY AND LEMONT R. R. To take effect Nov. 20th, 1887.

Dis.	Westward			Dis.	Eastwar.	
	a.m.	p.m.		a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
0	6.50	1.30	MONTANDON	5.50	9.10	5.45
1.5	6.15	1.40	Ar. LEWISBURG Lv	5.25	9.00	5.35
1.5	6.15	1.40	Lv. LEWISBURG. Ar	....	9.00	5.35
5.6	6.04	1.48	Buffalo f	....	8.51	5.26
6.8	5.30	1.58	Vicksburg f	....	8.45	5.20
10.7	6.41	2.06	MIFFLINBURG	....	8.35	5.0
13.3	6.48	2.13	Barber f	....	8.29	5.01
15.2	6.54	2.16	Swengle f	....	8.24	4.56
16.1	6.56	2.20	Millmont	....	8.22	4.53
18.8	7.06	2.30	LAURELTON	....	8.13	4.43
22.5	7.22	2.37	Pardee f	....	8.01	4.30
24.7	7.15	2.49	Weiker f	....	7.57	4.24
28.9	7.30	2.55	Cherry Run f	....	7.48	4.16
29.2	7.40	3.03	Paddy Mt. Tunnel f	....	7.40	4.08
32.9	7.46	3.09	Fowler f	....	7.36	3.57
36.6	7.52	3.15	Coburn	....	7.27	3.56
39.6	7.58	3.25	Derby f	....	7.19	3.45
42.4	8.10	3.35	Rising Springs	....	7.10	3.35
46.2	8.18	3.45	Penn's Cave f	....	7.00	3.27
49.2	8.25	3.54	CENTRE HALL	....	6.52	3.20
51.6	8.33	3.59	Gregg f	....	6.43	3.12
54.6	8.42	4.06	Linden Hall	....	6.36	3.05
56.7	8.48	4.35	OAK HALL	....	6.30	3.00
58.3	8.52	4.19	LEMONT	....	6.25	2.55
60.2	8.59	4.28	Dale Summit f	....	6.20	2.50
63.9	9.09	4.35	Pleasant Gap f	....	6.10	2.40
65.2	9.14	4.41	Axeman f	....	6.04	2.34
67.4	9.20	4.45	BELLEFONTE	....	6.00	2.30

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EASTWARD. No6	No2	Dis.	STATIONS.	Dis.	WESTWARD. No1	No5
P M	A M				A M	P M
4 20	9 10	15	At BELLEFONTE Lv	0	6	3 30
4 13	9 00	17	..... Scales.....	1	6 07	3 38
4 09	8 50	16	.....Morris R.....	2	6 11	3 42
4 03	8 42	14	.....Whitmer F.....	4	6 19	3 50
3 57	8 37	12	.....Hunters.....	5	6 28	3 56
3 53	8 34	11	.....Fillmore.....	6	6 29	4 00
3 46	8 27	9	.....Briarly F.....	8	6 36	4 07
3 39	8 20	8	.....Waddles.....	10	6 48	4 14
3 31	8 12	5	.....Scotia Crossing F...	11	6 53	4 22
3 11	7 56	2	.....Krumrine.....	16	7 09	4 38
3 05	7 50	0	Lv STATE COLLEGE Ar	18	7 17	4 48

Trains will stop at stations marked "F" when signal is given or notice to Conductor.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after November 26th, 1888.

WESTWARD		
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia daily	11 25	p m
" " Harrisburg "	3 30	a m
" " Williamsport "	7 10	a m
" " Jersey Shore "	7 56	a m
" " Lock Haven "	7 58	a m
" " Renovo "	8 50	a m
" arrives Erie "	4 05	p m
NIAGRA EXP. leaves Phil'a week days	7 40	a m
" " Harrisburg "	11 25	a m
" arrives at Williamsport "	2 15	p m
" " Lock Haven "	3 30	p m
" " Renovo "	4 30	p m
" " Kane "	8 35	p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at	5 00	p m
FAST LINE leaves Philada. week days	11 55	a m
" " Harrisburg "	3 45	p m
" " Williamsport "	7 10	p m
" arrives at Lock Haven "	8 02	p m
" " Renovo "	9 00	p m
SUNDAY MAIL leaves Phila. week days	9 00	a m
" " Harrisburg "	7 40	a m
" " Williamsport	101 0	a m
" " Lock Haven	11 24	a m
" arrives at Renovo	12 30	p m
EASTWARD		
Sea Shore EXP. leaves L. Haven w. d	7 00	a m
" " Jersey Shore	7 35	a m
" " Williamsport	8 05	a m
" arrives at Harrisburg	11 30	a m
" " Philadelphia	3 15	p m
DAY EXP. leaves Kane week days	6 25	a m
" " Renovo	10 20	a m
" " Lock Haven	11 15	a m
" " Williamsport	12 30	p m
" arrives at Harrisburg	3 13	p m
" " Philadelphia	6 50	p m
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie daily	9 00	p m
" " Renovo	11 00	p m
" " Lock Haven	11 58	p m
" " Williamsport	1 25	a m
" arrives at Harrisburg	4 30	a m
" " Philadelphia	8 25	a m
RENOVO AC'N leaves Renovo daily	4 15	p m
" arrives at Harrisburg	8 20	p m
" " Philadelphia	4 25	a m

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West, and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. E. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail East and West connect at Erie with train on L S [illegible] ry with B P & W N N; at Emporium with [illegible], N Y & P R R, and at Driftwood with A V R R.

ROBERT NEILSON

Bellefonte Republican,

EDWARD T. TUTEN, - - Editor

Local Department.

—"I love you well" the stamp exclaimed,
"Dear envelope so true,
In fact, its evident to all
That I'm stuck on you."

—The grass is now a beautiful green.

—Bouquets of all sorts of blossoms are all the rage.

—The ink black crow is searching in the corn fields.

—The landscape is now putting on its loveliest colors.

—Are you preparing for that Fourth of July celebration?

—The ice cream season is here with its mingled joys and sorrows.

—The space around the depot is being sodded in a handsome manner.

—The game of ball on Saturday afternoon failed to attract much interest.

—It is said that at least half the settlers journeying west wear Grand Army buttons.

—Blue flags are displaying there lovely petals to view—the flowers of that name we mean.

—An execution of the death penalty by electricity will soon take place in New York State.

—Blaine is doing well as Secretary of State and has not yet started a war with any foreign power.

—Monday was a wet cool day, but nevertheless all the weather prognostications indicated dry warm weather.

—Barnum's show, which was exhibiting in Williamsport on Friday, was damaged to the extent of $10,000 by the storm.

—The young man who committed suicide in Tyrone on Saturday could not hold his position because of his love for strong drink.

—Mr. Cal. Smith, who once carried on the baking business here and has lately been in Philipsburg, moved to Altoona on Wednesday last.

—Birdie Guss, a little child of County Treasurer Guss, on Lamb street, has been ill for several days, but now, we are glad to say, is recovering.

—A certain bald-headed man who has heard that the hairs of a man's head are numbered, desires to know where he can get the back numbers.

—A Clinton county school teacher is suing the school board for pay for holidays when there was no school. Hope the teacher will win the suit.

—Now the average householder can promenade gaily forth in the morning into his own garden and pluck the dainty new onion from its little bed.

—The Reformed church pulpit will be filled next Sunday and regularly thereafter by Rev. Miles O. Noll, a young gentleman from Lancaster, Pa.

—Huntingdon county has, the past year, been one of the most prosperous counties in the State, all because no whiskey was sold within her borders.

—It does seem rather a foolish move on the part of Williamsport politicians to start a new Republican daily newspaper when the *Gazette and Bulletin* fills the bill so well.

—Burglars entered Messrs. Owen & Son's hardware store in Philipsburg on Friday morning and carried off such loose and valuable articles as they could conveniently take with them.

—It is said that a water power is proportionately stronger at night than during the day, and the reason is said to be because the air is heavier and the pressure on the water correspondingly greater.

—A gentleman named Prendible, whose home is in Lock Haven, after being missed for a couple of weeks, during which his family were much concerned as to his fate, has turned up in a hospital in Philadelphia, where he is ill.

—All responsible and well known citizens of Kansas, Iowa and Maine are unanimous in respect to the benefit Prohibition has done those states. People who testify differently are unknown and obscure individuals, and likely in most cases they are fictitious persons.

—James D. Fish, who was concerned with Ward in the speculation in New York which gave Gen. Grant so much trouble, and then was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary, is out again, having spent only 3 years, 10 months and 5 days in the State house for evil doers.

—Rev. Owen Hicks will deliver addresses on Prohibition at Spring Mills on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 16th, 17th and 18th insts. The first address will review the arguments against the adoption of the Amendment, and in the two following addresses he will produce arguments in favor of the adoption of the Amendment.

—Of course we regret to hear that both of the young ladies with whom Francis Speer swung in a hammock on the 30th of April have dismissed him and that he has now been compelled to hunt up a new "daisy". In his search he went in the direction of Ridge street, but we have not learned whether he was successful or not.

MR. HARRIS' CONCERT.

A Two Hours Programme of Vocal and Instrumental Music Delightfully Rendered.

From the minute when the Young Men's Orchestra started the air into musical vibrations on Tuesday evening until the last notes died away into stillness all was supremely successful. The audience was very large, filling the commodious Presbyterian chapel; the programme was well selected and carefully arranged, and the receipts were equal to expectations.

The Young Men's Orchestra opened with two selections which were admirably rendered. They manipulate their instruments with wonderful skill and never fail to receive applause. Misses Speer and Pifer and Messrs. Lukenbach and Bassett sang the "Yachting Glee." They infused into its rendering much spirit and animation and it was a decidedly artistic performance. Miss Mary Bradley and Miss Jennie Lukenbach next gave the "Time of Youth." Their voices blended harmoniously and are as pure in quality as silver bells.

Miss Hemperly evoked the divine harmonies with a classical performance on the piano. It was very brilliantly executed and was highly appreciated. It was followed by a duet by Miss Bradley and Miss Pifer. The title of their selection was "Sister Elves." They sang most delightfully.

The musical hit of the evening was the song by the male quartette, composed of Messrs. Keplinger, Lukenbach, Meyer and Voris. How magnificently their voices harmonized! Mr. Keplinger's voice was heard for the first time in public on this occasion. It is almost as high as soprano and very sweet. They scored the first encore and when they returned sang even more delightfully, fairly turning the heads and almost the hearts of the auditors. Before part second was ushered in the orchestra rendered "Creedmore Rifle Team" in their well known excellent style.

The quartette composed of Misses Pifer and Speer and Messrs. Lukenbach and Bassett again made their appearance on the platform in the gem-like selection, "Sleep Dearest, Sleep." It was a pleasure to read on the programme the name of Mr Blanchard. The duet which he gave with Miss Bradley was such as to afford full display to his more than ordinarily fine voice. During a score of years past he has been the best male singer in our town and his voice on Tuesday evening was as fine as ever. An encore followed. A very humorous selection was introduced here, entitled, "The Professor at Home." Mr. Bassett, representing the Professor, made his appearance and while singing was startled by the appearance of George Bayard, who as tax collector, musically interrupted his practice. A *prima donna*, Miss Annie Speer, was the next arrival, with whom the Professor sang a brief duet, until Miss Sadie Bayard, the maid, carrying refreshments for the Professor, joined the singers. Then there was a musical medley, which nevertheless did not lack harmony. The Professor protested, the tax collector presented his bill, the prima donna soared serenely among the higher notes while the waitress offered her refreshments. The singers were recalled and repeated part of the song.

The male quartette, in another lively song, contributed to the rarely entertaining qualities of the music. Miss Speer and Miss Pifer in the duet, "Woodbird's Song," again sang very pleasingly. Mr. James Hughes concluded the vocal part of the concert with the humorous song, "The Curious Cork Leg," which went on and on forever—or, rather, he was not permitted to conclude with that, because the applause of the audience called him back and he gave the humorous song telling why and how people must "put on style." As the orchestra rendered its last stated selection and then changed into a galop the audience passed out.

Mr. Harris, who managed the entertainment, made his appearance twice for the purpose of offering explanations which took so well and were so pointed and humorous that every sentence was applauded. The concert was the great musical success, thus far, of this season.

Miss Belle Weaver, very gracefully and correctly, presided at the piano, adding greatly to the excellence of the music. Miss Bradley also played the accompaniment for some of the pieces.

All of the young ladies who took part in the concert looked most charming, being arrayed in costume of cream or white of a light, fleecy texture. This made a lovely picture whenever the young ladies were on the platform.

Doing Good in His Way.

'There,' said a neighbor, pointing to a village carpenter, 'there is a man who has done more good, I really believe, in this community than any other person who ever lived in it. He cannot talk very much in public, and he does not try. He is not worth $2,000, and it is very little he can put down on subscription papers. But a new family never moves into the village that he does not find it out, and give them a neighborly welcome, and offer them some service.

'He is on the lookout to give strangers a seat in his pew at church. He is always ready to watch with a sick neighbor, and look after his affairs for him. I believe he and his wife keep house-plants in winter mainly that they may be able to send bouquets to friends and invalids. He finds time for a pleasant word to every child he meets, and you'll always see him climbing into his wagon when he has no other load. He has a genius for helping folks, and it does me good to meet him in the streets.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

The New Summer Schedule.

In addition to the new train on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad, other changes took effect Monday on that road and also on the Nittany and Lemont and all over the main line and we will make the alterations as rapidly as possible in the published time-table. The new train, to be called the Express is put on at Lock Haven at 4.40 o'clock a. m. It reaches Bellefonte at 5.35 o'clock and Tyrone at 6.55. The other train—the regular mail train, eastward, is the same as before, leaving Tyrone at 8.10 a. m., Bellefonte at 9,32 and reaching Lock Haven at 11. The next train (to be called the Day Express) leaves Lock Haven at 9.15 a. m., fifteen minutes later than it formerly did. This additional fifteen minutes is made up by the time it reaches Curtin station and it comes to Bellefonte at the usual time—10.25. The rest of its schedule remains the same as during the winter, reaching Tyrone at 11,55. Then we have the eastward trip of what may be called the new train, known on the schedule as the Day Express. It leaves Tyrone at 3.10 p. m, reaches Bellefonte at 4.30 and Lock Haven at 5.30. The regular afternoon mail leaves Lock Haven a half hour later than it used to (at 4.20 p. m.) It reaches Bellefonte at 5.20, having made up ten minutes time, and Tyrone at 6.40, only three minutes later than formerly. The time of the night train remains unchanged. The change will prove very satisfactory if the quicker time made in the trips on the Bald Eagle (in one instance 27 minutes, shorter than it was) does not involve a return to the accidents which used to be so frequent on this line and which recently have been almost unknown.

An entire change has been made on the four mixed trains on the Lewisburg and Tyrone branch.

Only one train on the Montandon and Bellefonte line is changed. The afternoon train leaves Montandon thirty-six minutes later than it did, or at 2.06 o'clock, and reaches Bellefonte exactly thirty minutes later than formerly, or at 5.15 o'clock, thus making close connection as it did with the afternoon train going west on the Bald Eagle Valley road.

Temperance Lecture Next Tuesday Evening.

On Tuesday evening, May 21, Luther Benson, Esq., of Indianapolis, Indiana, will lecture in the Court House on the issue involved in the approaching vote for Constitutional Prohibition. He is very highly recommended, in proof of which read these statements by men of eminence:

"I have known Luther Benson many years. He is a gentleman highly esteemed, and an admirable orator.—Thos. A. Hendricks.

"On the subject of temperance he is one of the foremost orators living."—Daniel Voorhees.

"Mr. Benson is a born orator, with great powers of speech, a vivid fancy, touching pathos, and a quaint, rich humor."—Hon. H. D. Mooney.

"Mr. Benson is the most eloquent champion the cause of temperance has ever had in the West, and he is unquestionably one of the most eloquent men this country has produced."—Hon. Wm. S. Holman.

"He is an orator of great power."—Hon. R. B. Vance.

"His eloquence is rare, unique and persuasive."—Hon. S. S. Cox.

Death of Mrs. Samuel Bathurst.

Quite suddenly on Saturday evening the death of the lady whose name is in the title to this notice died at her home near McCoy & Linn's forge. She was about 40 years of age. Her death was caused by dropsy, the best efforts of the two physicians being baffled in the attempt to relieve her. She was a most excellent lady whose presence and kind services will be missed in that community. Several children are left without a mother's care. They and all other surviving relatives are entitled to much sympathy. The burial services and interment took place Monday.

Feminine Attire.

When and where shall the young ladies wear their most stylish, striking and elegant apparel? We are glad to notice that they do not wear it to church. While it is always well to be dressed neatly in church it is in bad taste to be dressed in a manner that will seem like display or will attract attention. This is as it should be, and proves that the young ladies go to worship and not to show off their clothes.

On social occasions, however, beauty and elegance of attire is perfectly proper. It is also admirable when out for promenade.

—We notice that several gentlemen became very much mixed up on Sunday evening as to whether the temperature was warm or cool. Some of them had on straw hats and white vests while others wore their overcoats.

On the Heights.

WHAT THE PEOPLE OF SNOW SHOE ARE DOING AND SAYING.

Snow Shoe City is a classic town,
It is built on mountains high,
With lofty peaks for miles around
That almost touch the sky.

James I Yarnell, our new post-master, has taken charge of the post office and is getting along very nicely.

Miss Blanche Zimmerman has just returned from a visit to her Tyrone friends.

The pleasant countenance of Hughesville's post-master, T. A. Boak, was visible on our streets Wednesday.

Mr. Butts, one of Bellefonte's excellent surveyors, chatted with his Snow Shoe friends last Thursday.

Mr. Harry Johnson, who has been lumbering in Potter county, returned home on Monday.

The saw mill at Gorton Heights, recently purchased by M P Bock, was blown down by the cyclone last Friday.

Mr. T B Budinger is building quite an addition to his residence. He wants it to correspond with the size of his family.

It is rumored that the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold a festival in the near future.

Mr. Robt. J Haynes and wife, John G Uzzle and daughter, James Haynes, Jr., and T B Budinger and his two sons, Arthur and Samuel, all took in the excursion to Williamsport last Friday and witnessed the terrible cyclone that passed over that city. They went down only to see the parade, but somehow or other they were all in the vicinity of Barnum's circus when the storm burst upon the assembled thousands who occupied every available seat in that vast tent covering over an acre of ground. If the storm had come an hour earlier nearly five thousand dollars would not have changed hands.

Rev. Scott, the Presbyterian minister at this place, preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening to a large congregation, and on Monday morning took his departure for his home in Lancaster county. Mr. Scott has many friends in this neighborhood who are very sorry to see him go.

Mrs. J J Toban is quite severely afflicted with inflamatory rheumatism.

Grauer & Madill's mines were badly flooded with water last week, and were compelled to suspend operations for several days, but are now running all right again.

A Lively Bear Story.

DELAWARE WATER GAP, May 10.—Chas Reilly, a veteran hunter of Pike county, Wednesday killed three bears unaided and alone only with an axe. Mr. Reilley lives on the border, between New Jersey and Pennsylvania, in what is known as the "Silver Lake" district. On Tuesday night he heard his pack of dogs in the Townsend Swamp and, thinking they had treed some small game, started for the place on Wednesday morning with an axe. The underbrush was very thick and he could see nothing until close to the game, when a most unusual sight met his gaze. The dogs had surrounded at a safe distance a large black bear and her two well-grown cubs. Mr. Reilley at once began a retreat, but before he could seek a point of safety the old bear was upon him and raising on her hind feet, made a lunge, but the hunter was too quick for her, and using the sharp blade of the axe cut her severely in the neck. The brute returned to the charge, but another blow disabled her and she fell to the ground. The young cubs then attacked the hunter in the rear and taking him unexpectedly, soon had him on the ground and were fast tearing him to pieces when the dogs attacked the two cubs. They at once left Mr. Reilley and began on their new enemies. When Mr. Reilley recovered the axe he soon made short work of them. Mr. Reilley was covered with blood and scratches and his clothing was almost torn from his body. The old bear weighed about 400 pounds, while the two young ones tipped the scales at 200 each.

—Miss Alice Bird, an accomplished young lady from Penfield, Clearfield county, nearly a year ago, started to Sahranpore, India, to be a missionary, visiting in Bellefonte before starting to that far-off land. That there is courtship and marriage and other pleasant experiences mixed up with the missionary labors out there is proven by this announcement, which we quote: "*Married*, —In the Mission church at Lodiana, India, on the 28th of March, by Rev. C. W. Foreman, D. D., Rev. Henry Foreman, of Sahranpore, and Miss Alice E. Bird, oldest daughter of L. Bird, Esq., of Penfield, Pa."

—The reason barber poles are red, white and blue is said to be as follows: Barbers, at one time, were also surgeons: at least, they had some knowledge of that science. The white pole represented the bandage wrapped around the patient and the red stripe represented blood, the great remedy for all ills then being bleeding. Surgery ceasing to be part of the barber's duties, it was easy to add the blue stripe and make the colors like our national emblem.

—We notice that a base ball game is announced for Saturday, the 18th, between the Dickinson and Pennsylvania State College teams, to be played on the base ball grounds at the College. Admission, 25 cents. The announcement states that an interesting game will be played as the Dickinson College team is "one of the strongest." This innocently implies, of course, that the State College team is also one of the strongest.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. John Mitchell, of Lemont, was a welcome caller on Saturday.

Dr. W. C. VanValin, of Unionville, was in Bellefonte on Monday morning.

Frank E. Bible, Esq., of Philipsburg, was visible in Bellefonte on Monday.

Mr. Philip Waddle succeeds Mr. Tom Hutchinson in the Adams Express office here.

Dr. E. E. Higbee has again been nominated to be superintendent of public instruction.

D B Bell, of DuBois, and Mr. Allen, of Williamsport, were in Bellefonte on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Jenkins, of this place, is a guest at the residence of Mrs. Jane Gardiner in Lock Haven.

Mrs. James P. Hughes continues to improve and her friends are much encouraged by her condition.

Mr. Dick Garman, of Philadelphia, arrived in town on Tuesday afternoon in the new train from Tyrone.

Michael Hess and wife of near Boalsburg, are visiting in the *West*, expecting to remain quite a long time.

Ed. Butts and five others went fishing Tuesday evening, catching a large quantity of fish and plenty of fun.

Miss Amanda Tome, of Jersey Shore, arrived in Bellefonte on Friday, to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. G. Bush.

Miss Goldman, of Baltimore, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Loeb. She is an accomplished and popular young lady.

Mr. Samuel J. Musser and family, of this place, departed on the early train this morning, to visit his home near Pine Grove.

Lester Haupt, a son of Conductor of L. A. Haupt, has been appointed an extra passenger brakeman on the Tyrone division.

Judge Samuel Linn, of Williamsport spent Tuesday in town and listened to the concert in the Presbyterian chapel in the evening.

Miss Bella Keenan, who has been spending the winter, with Mrs. John Powers, of this place departed, for New York, on Thursday.

Mr. Potts, at his pleasant home on High street, is entertaining his brother, Mr. W. R. Potts, and his sister, Mrs. Hicks, of New York city.

We are sorry to hear that Major H.H. Benner is confined to the house with erysipelas and will be unable to attend to business for some time to come.

Dr. Kochler departed Wednesday for Williamsport to attend the regular meeting of the Susquehanna Dental Association at the Park Hotel in that city.

Mr. Harry Keller and Mr. John T Johnson, two of the Bellefonte citizens now helping along the Harrisburg administration, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Wm. P. Fisher of Unionville, who is a gentleman of much experience, tells us that he does not believe the fruit was injured by the cold nights of last week.

Mr. Harris, who engineered the concert on Tuesday evening, provided some excellent refreshments for the performers after the enjoyable occasion was ended.

Mr. and Mrs. M. DeWitt Burnett, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday, Mrs. Burnett was formerly Miss Kate, the charming daughter of ex-Gov. Curtin.

Rev. Ed. Everett Hoshour has moved from Mr. H. C. Weaver's house where he recently occupied rooms, into rooms in Sheriff J. J. Lingle's residence on Spring street.

J. W. Gephart, Esq., and William D. Hastings, the latter of Philadelphia, have been appointed by Governor Beaver among the Pennsylvania commissioners to the Paris Exposition.

Dr. Charles Holt, his wife and two children, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are visiting in this vicinity, the visit being necessitated by the absolute need of rest for the Doctor, he having been overworked and his health much impaired since going West.

Mr. Stephen Sheldon, of Philipsburg, had his left arm crushed between two cars on last Thursday and the injured member was amputated. It is his second serious accident, having lost an eye some time ago, since which accident he has worn a glass eye.

Mr. Amos P. Lucas, of Philipsburg, is in Bellefonte to-day. He is kept very busy selling the new fence which he represents, and has been having a particularly interesting time recently in securing the acceptance of contracts to put it around public property in Philipsburg, but he triumphs every time.

Here is the latest Tory joke: "Why cannot Mr. Gladstone have his life insured? Because no man living can make out his policy."

Lemons of the finest quality, at the Eureka Grocery store.

FROM HOWLA.

FOUND DEAD, BARK PEELING, SHOOTING AFFRAY, SCHOOLS, ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

(Special to the DAILY NEWS.)

Mrs. Catherine Uhl was found dead in the lane, about ten yards from her house, at 1 o'clock p. m. on the 7th of this month.

She was the widow of Henry Uhl and the mother of Frank and Harry Uhl, Mrs. Mary Confer and Mrs. Maggie Confer. Mrs. Uhl's body was buried in the cemetery of the Reformed church, the services being conducted by Rev. Shoemaker, of Jacksonville. No inquest was held on her remains.

After a full discussion by our people, many of them have come to the conclusion, that a dog tied in a barn, (its owner thinking his dogship safe from all harm) for a person to sneak around and shoot said dog is not exactly the right thing to do, and the Poormans notify the person who shot their dog to never again put one of his feet on their premises, as they would have made him pay dear for the act, if they had not been afraid that the person killing it would have brought suit against them for the said dog biting him a week previous to the shooting.

Messrs. Fred and Wm. Robb have two hundred cords of Rock Oak bark ready to take to market.

Some fifteen of our young woodsmen started for the bark woods, this week, located in other counties, being induced to go by an offer of $45 and $50 per month in wages.

Mr. John Wentzel, one of our best farmers and citizens, put a new slate roof on his dwelling last week, being the first of the kind in this valley.

The fires in the woods last week did considerable damage, part of which was the burning of Baker's Run splash dam.

Miss Lizzie DeLong is teaching a summer school at the Quay School house.

Miss Lidie Keirchoff is teaching school at the "Mann School house."

Charles Jones has returned home from his log drive on account of low water.

Mrs. Irvin Watson, of Snow Shoe, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Packer.

Query. What does Z. S. Welch think of the XIX amendment, as his hotel at Howard was refused license before the vote was cast?

Curtin township is lamenting over the loss of her lawyer-citizen who is in Washington, D. C., helping the President to successfully run his administration.

OCCASIONAL.

—Next year every farmer in the United States will be visited by a paid officer of the Government and asked to give the statistics of his farm crops, stock, etc., for the year of 1889. Every farmer should begin to keep an accurate account of all farm operations during the year, then the agricultural statistics of the Government will be of much value. At the same time, let farmers be on their guard. Be sure that such individual is really what he represents himself to be, as doubtless there will be rogues who will take advantage of the opportunity to impose on the people.

—Mike Ivan is on trial in the Clearfield county court for the murder of Joseph Loksa, on the 14th of February, at Colliery No 8, six miles from Houtzdale. The wound which killed Loksa was made by an axe or some other similar instrument and the accused had been seen with an axe in his possession at the time. His defense is that he was keeping the axe from the others. The Commonwealth have much difficulty to make these foreigners testify as they did at the first hearing as they seem to consider that one live man is worth a dozen dead ones.

—It is due the licensed houses in Bellefonte to state that the drunkenness of individuals, white and colored, on the streets Sunday, should not be charged to bars in Bellefonte. The intoxicated individuals were men and boys that had been unable to procure liquor at the hotels and have been shipping by the keg and jug from Lock Haven and Pittsburg. This mode of getting liquor is an injustice to the hotels for the reason that one naturally supposes that all drunken men in Bellefonte get their liquor at hotels.

—For the extra train placed on the Bald Eagle railroad, which made its first trip Monday morning, this community is under obligations to Superintendent S. S. Blair. It will be a great convenience to travelers and we hope the travel over this favorite line will be sufficiently large to warrant the continuance of this additional train. It was not the press of travel, however, which secured it, but it was entirely a courteous compliance with a request from citizens on the part of the excellent Superintendent.

—On Saturday afternoon Will Marshall was the victim of an accident while engaging in the base ball game. He was at the bat. Al. Hoffman had just pitched the sphere with something like the force of a cannon ball, when it came in contact, not with the bat, but with Marshall's left eye. It painfully damaged that organ and also put his nose out of joint. The wound bled profusely and Marshall was taken home in a buggy.